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BIRTHS.

ALLEN—March 12, 1940, at the Haven Nursing Home, Newport, Mon., to Ada (*née* Culverwell), wife of Richard Allen, M.A., 55 Beechwood road, Newport, a daughter.

DOYLE—March 8, 1940, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Nell, wife of Lewis Doyle, M.R.C.V.S., Greenmount, Navan, a daughter (Jacqueline Mary).

ENRIGHT—March 15, 1940, to Constance (*née* MacNeice), wife of Leslie Enright, Sunnybrae, Ashbourne avenue, Limerick, a daughter (Cherry).

KELLY—March 15, 1940, at Argyle Nursing Home, Sheffield, to Unity (*née* James), wife of Cecil J. Kelly, a daughter.

KENNEDY—January 13, 1940, at Blantyre, Nyasaland, to Ruby, wife of Edwin G. F. Kennedy, M.A., B.A.I., Inhaminga, Portuguese East Africa, a daughter (Gwendolyn Nyasa).

McCABE—March 5, 1940, at St. Tudno's, Oakley road, to Dorothy, wife of Robert H. McCabe, 3 Moyne road, a son.

RANDOLPH—March 18, 1940, at Crediton, Devon, to Elizabeth, the wife of Major H. C. F. Randolph, R.A., a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

GREENHOUSE and GALWEY—March 16, 1940, at St. Andrew, Ogbourne, Wilts., by Captain Rev. A. T. Wright, Second Lieutenant Roger Harold, 5th Manchester Regiment, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Greenhouse, of Bolton, to Sheila Estaires, only child of Captain and Mrs. Galwey, Ballaugh, Isle of Man.

SANDERSON and GREW—February 28, 1940, in Dublin, Desmond Sanderson, Colonial Service, Nigeria, elder son of the late James Sanderson, Dublin, and Mrs. Sanderson, "The Lodge," Ballybrack, and Noreen, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Grew, 31 St. Mary's road, Ballsbridge, Dublin.

SMIBERT and WINSLOW—February 20, 1940, at Shamley Green, Guildford, Surrey, James, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Smibert, of Melbourne, Australia, and Helen, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Gresson Winslow, Derrylin, Co. Fermanagh, and of Mrs. Winslow, Blenheim, Glenageary, Co. Dublin.

DEATHS.

ARCHER—March 21, 1940, at his residence, 4 Elton Park, Sandycove, Arthur Westland Archer, son of the late Rev. John Archer, B.A., St. Mary's, Drogheda, Rural Dean. Funeral arriving St. Mary's Church, Drogheda, to-day (Saturday) at 12 noon. Drogheda papers please copy.

BAYLOR—March 19, 1940, James Parker Baylor, at his residence, 56 Pembroke Cottages, Donnybrook (late of Derryvillane, Co. Cork). Cork papers please copy.

BURTON—At the Bungalow, Marle Hill, Cheltenham, Sybil Henrietta, wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Stratford Burton, Royal Artillery (Retired), late of Jubilee Hall, Bray.

CAULFIELD—March 21, 1940, at Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Patrick J. Caulfield, late of 11 Gulistan place, Rathmines, and Messrs. G. and T. Crampton, Ltd. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, daughter, son-in-law, brother, sister, and a large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral from Hospice at 11.30 to-day (Saturday) to Mount Jerome.

CONNOR—March 22, 1940, at a Dublin hospital, Ellen Connor (late of 20 Foyle road, Fairview), widow of the late William Connor. Deeply regretted by her daughters, sons-in-law and grandchildren. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral strictly private.

COPLEY—March 21, 1940, Elizabeth, dearly-loved wife of Abraham Copley, Donaguile, Castlecomer, Co. Kilkenny. Funeral to St. Mary's Church to-day (Saturday), 3 o'clock (S.T.).

GAHAN—March 20, 1940, at his residence, 27 Leinster road, Rathmines, James Alphonsus, elder surviving son of the late James and Elizabeth Gahan. Funeral (private) to Glasnevin Cemetery this (Saturday) morning.

GALVIN—March 21, 1940, at her residence, Spraymount, Ballybunion, Sheila (*née* McCarthy), beloved wife of Mortimer Galvin, Central Hotel, Listowel. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband. R.I.P. Funeral leaves Ballybunion Church for Listowel Cemetery at 1 o'clock (old time) to-day (Saturday).

HAYDEN—March 16, 1940, at St. Johnstown, Fethard, Co. Tipperary, Thomas Hayden, aged 91 years.

JOHNSON—March 21, 1940, at Clonbroney Rectory, Edgeworthstown, Ven. Henry John Johnson, Archdeacon of Elphin and Ardagh, aged 77. Funeral, Monday morning, 11 o'clock (S.T.).

KEHOE—March 22, at a private nursing home, Edward Kehoe, late of "Oswestry," Westfield road. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Mass, Monday, at 9 o'clock, Passionist Church, Mount Argus. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

LEE—March 16, 1940, at his residence, Carney Hill, Enniskillen, William Lee, son of the late William Lee, Clonsast, Portarlington. Sadly missed by his sorrowing wife and family.

LIEBRECHT—March 21, 1940, at her residence, 70 Marlborough road, Dublin, Catherine Marie Alma, daughter of Mrs. Liebrecht and the late Captain John H. Liebrecht, 68th Regiment, "D.L.I." R.I.P. Funeral private.

LOVE—March 20, 1940, Frances Love, daughter of the late John and Eliza Love, of Clooncagh, Ballymoe, Co. Galway. Funeral took place yesterday (Friday).

McNULTY—March 19, 1940, Ella, dearly-beloved wife of Gerard McNulty, and eldest daughter of the late C. J. D'Eathe and Mrs. D'Eathe, of Ballylane, New Ross. Funeral to Mount Jerome Cemetery, 9 a.m., to-day (Saturday).

MOORE—On Good Friday, March 22, 1940, at her residence, 22 Killeen road, after a brief illness, Mary, widow of the late James Moore, aged 77. Funeral, Tuesday morning, to Mount Jerome.
"Rest in the Lord."

NELSON—March 22, 1940, at 13 Northumberland avenue, Dun Laoghaire, Elizabeth, loving wife of Samuel Nelson. Deeply regretted by family and relatives. Funeral to-day (Saturday) at 9 o'clock to Dean's Grange Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

PEARSON—March 20, 1940, Annie Gertrude Pearson, widow of the late James Raymond Pearson, Manager of the Provincial Bank, Drogheda, at the Drogheda Cottage Hospital. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request.

PIM—March 21, 1940, at her daughter's residence, The Square, Clonakilty, Co. Cork, Nina, wife of the late Lewis Pim, Mountmellick. Funeral to-day (Saturday), 3.30 p.m., to Kilgarriff Church, Clonakilty. No flowers, by request.

REDDY—March 17, 1940, at Hospital, Kilkenny, Lucie, niece of the late R. Martin, Rathmines. Interred Mount Jerome.

STOKES—March 22, 1940, William Stokes, at his residence, Moss, Winton avenue, Rathgar, of 6 Westmoreland street, Dublin. Funeral arrangements later.

TAYLOR—On Thursday, March 21, 1940, at 20 Wesley road, Rathgar, Margaret Ann, beloved wife of Matthew Taylor, and eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser, Inverness. Funeral arriving Mount Jerome to-day (Saturday), 23rd inst., 12 o'clock.
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DEATHS.

WYNNE—Jane, wife of John Wynne, Ballinacrea, Myshall, Co. Carlow, aged 63. Funeral to Myshall, 2.30 o'clock (old time) to-morrow (Sunday), 24th inst.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this column will be found on Page 8.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

CASEY—The parents of the late Una Casey wish to convey their sincere thanks to all who sent telegrams, letters and messages of sympathy in their sad bereavement, trusting this acknowledgment will be accepted by all.—James Casey, 9 Goldsmith terrace, Bray.

IN MEMORIAM.

COOKE—In loving memory of our darling mother and sister, who fell asleep, March 24th, 1921, and March 18th, 1905. "Till He come."

HILL—In loving memory of our dear mother, Emily Hill, who passed away, March 20th, 1939. "Always in our thoughts."—Inserted by her children.

McCAULEY—First Anniversary—In ever-loving memory of Frances Teresa McCauley, of Behermore, Galway, who was called Home on March 24th, 1939. "Severed only till He come."—Inserted by her loving family.

McHUGH—In memory of my dearly-loved son, William George McHugh, 23rd March, 1926, aged 36 years.—Mother.

NAYLOR—In loving memory of Thomas (Tom) Naylor, who died March 24th, 1937, late of 80 Lower Drumcondra road.—Inserted by his brother and sisters.

RILEY—In affectionate remembrance of Joseph Riley, called to Higher Service, 23rd March, 1937.—Inserted by his loving wife, sons and daughters-in-law.

SHANNON—In loving memory of Florence M. Shannon, who was called Home on March 23rd, 1934. "Thy will be done."

SOMERS (Cloughjordan)—In ever-loving remembrance of our dear father and mother.
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SPARKS—In loving memory of John Lennox Sparks, who died on March 18, 1924; also his wife, Margaret, who died on March 23, 1937. Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Joseph, intercede for them.

TAYLOR—Eighth Anniversary—In loving memory of "Kathleen," whom God called Home on 24th March, 1932.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, by her Will dated 21st January, 1933, left the following charitable bequests, namely, the residue of her estate to be divided equally between Regions Beyond Missionary Union, Harley House, Woburn square, London; the Committee of Oversight, Merrion Hall, Lower Merrion street, Dublin, and the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, South Frederick street, Dublin.
Probate of the said Will was, on the 31st January, 1940, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, Eire, to the Royal Bank of Ireland, Limited, of 3/4 Foster place, Dublin, the sole Executors named in said Will.
Dated this 12th day of March, 1940.
T. A. W. PUREFOY, Solicitor for said Executors, 3/4 Foster place, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Goods of LOUIE KEARON, late of Sugar Loaf Cottage, Kilmacanogue, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Spinster, Deceased.
Notice, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 6th November, 1939, are hereby required on or before the 30th day of March, 1940, to furnish, in writing, detailed particulars of every such claim to the undersigned Solicitor for the Royal Bank of Ireland, Limited, the Executors named in the Will of said Deceased, and to whom Probate thereof was granted by the High Court of Justice in Eire, on the 31st January, 1940. And further, that after the said 30th day of March, 1940, the said Executors will distribute the estate of the Deceased, having regard only to such claims of which particulars shall have been furnished in accordance with this Notice.
Dated this 12th day of March, 1940.
T. A. W. PUREFOY, Solicitor for said Executors, 3/4, Foster place, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Goods of COL. ROBERT JOSEPH MACNAMARA, late of Ardvarna, The Hill, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, Indian Medical Service (Retired), Deceased.
Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claim against the assets of the above Deceased, who died on the 30th day of January, 1940, are hereby required to furnish particulars (in writing) of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor on or before the 18th day of April next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to claims then received.
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Dated this 14th day of March, 1940.
DESMOND MORAN, Solicitor for the Executor, 34/35 Lower Ormond quay, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Goods of EDWARD REID, late of 34 York road, Dun Laoghaire, County Dublin, Retired Draper, deceased.
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Dated 23rd March, 1940.
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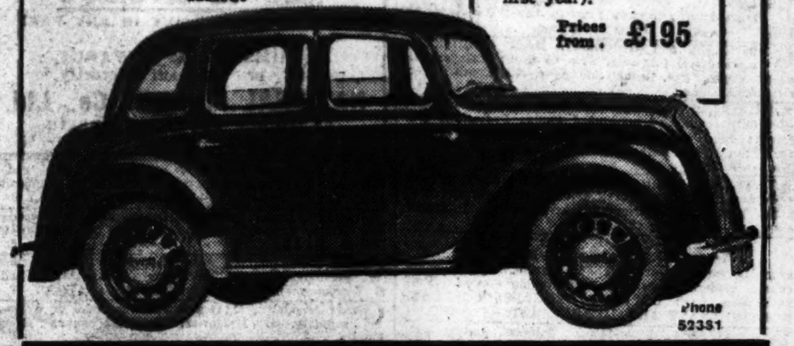

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It's a Busy Time : Minding the Litter : Sowing Right : Beet Fertilizers : In the Garden : The Celery Crop : Making a Hot Bed : Garden Plots : The Onion Crop

By RUSTICUS.

IT'S busy. With the increased tillage, the shortage of horses, and hired tractors getting more than they can do, we are all rushed off our feet. Drilling for potatoes, breaking and tilling for beet and oats, getting in wheat and clearing the ground for barley and root crops mean a period of work where there is no break. In addition, fruit trees have to be looked after, young litters cared for, dropped calves minded, lambs helped, and poultry cared for in brooders, or eggs of the heavier breeds put to hatch. Generally it's a sixteen-hour day, and when we put off rolling, harrowing and top-dressing until we get a breathing space we know that something is being neglected. We know that it is wrong that all the jobs should come upon us together, but there is no way out. There is one consolation in the whole business—if we do the jobs well now there is profit later, and maybe a brief period in the summer when we will get a holiday. Meanwhile, it is hard to tell what comes first.

THE LITTER

Litters are being farrowed on every farm, and a great many of us just feed the sow and blame her if the litter is not put right at weaning time. Few of us care to go into details, though it is the details that count. If a sow is late in farrowing—a couple of days over time—it is as certain as anything can be that the bons will not be nursed well. When the litter appears every bon should be examined for sharp teeth. Even if there is only one or two with these "wolf teeth" they will cut the sow and she will not nurse the litter. Take every young pig immediately it has been farrowed, and cut or break the wolf teeth. A pliers will do the job well, but a simpler method is to take an old-style split-nosed peg wringer and break the sharp teeth. Watch the litter: if the bons get that pale, washy look trouble is in store. If it is impossible to let out the bons on grass or arable land they should be given a box of clay in the farrowing house or where they are being raised. Failing earth for pigs when anaemia sets in, the mother's dugs can be treated with iron and treacle so that the young pigs will suck them, but this is merely curing something that could have been avoided. Bons should be taught to take trough food as early as possible, and a trough placed so that the dam cannot get access to the food is easily arranged.

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Most of us use our own corn drills, and we hate to discard one though we know that it is not accurate. We want to drill a certain amount to the acre, but we know that the machine is incapable of being set so that it will work out to that standard. We may like to drill about fifteen stone to the acre, but the machine insists on giving almost double that quantity or spilling half for one period and double for another. If we cannot set a drill to give exactly what we want the machine is too dear at any price and should be scrapped. Modern drills are cheap and effective, and they pay for themselves in a couple of seasons.

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Many farmers believe that when nitrogen is ed to the beet crops that better results are obtained if the nitrate of soda is applied as a top dressing, or if the nitrate is divided into two lots, half applied when the seed is sown and the other half when the crop is in leaf. It has been thought that the crop did not get the full value of the nitrogen owing to the absence of heat at sowing time, and there was also the risk that some of the nitrogen might be washed away before being taken up by the plants in the event of heavy rain or a general wet period. Experiments do not support either of these contentions. Nitrate of soda applied when the seed is sown has given as good results as applied in any other way in crop and top yield and in sugar contents of the roots. Smaller drills than these used in some districts would increase the yield.

A CRITICAL TIME

Now is the critical period for the litters of bonhams that arrived in February, and now is the time to keep them going strong so as to become thrifty baconers. The sow should be well fed right up to the time of weaning, and as the young pigs begin to eat they should be well fed, but not overfed, also. Sometimes at this time of year the litter develops trouble, but most of these troubles can be avoided with reasonable care. Scour and anaemia are the principal worries, but these are rarely serious when the pigs are allowed a run in the open every day. Ordinary fresh clay kept in a box in the house where the young pigs can have access to it is a preventitive of trouble in most cases, but, in any event, the pigs should be allowed out as much as possible. Houses of young pigs should be kept clean, dry and well bedded, and where this is done, and mother and bonhams get daily exercise in the open, the pigs keep thriving. Where pigs are bred continuously and in big numbers, the outside run should be changed every year and the run from which the pigs have been moved thoroughly disinfected with lime, sulphuric acid, or some other disinfectant. Pigs that are allowed out are hardier than those continually housed and will begin to take food a few days earlier.

MAKING A HOT-BED

As an aid to the economical management of a garden, the hot-bed is most important. A hot-bed is most useful in forwarding seedlings for planting out of doors later in the season, when weather conditions are suitable.

A hot-bed is prepared as follows: Procure a quantity of fresh horse manure, together with straw used for bedding of animals. With this mix some fallen or rotten leaves. Keep the mixture under cover, and turn occasionally to promote an even degree of fermentation throughout.

The hot-bed should be formed in a sunny, sheltered position, and made with the manure, straw, etc., not less than 2½ feet deep when well beaten down, and of any convenient length and width. It is usual to place a garden-frame fitted with sashes or lights over the bed, the latter being made a foot or so wider and longer than the frame placed on it.

The sashes are kept closed until the heat rises, and in two or three days, when the temperature of the bed begins to subside, it should be covered with good soil to the depth of about six inches, and in this soil seeds of various vegetables, such as cabbages, Brussels sprouts, cauliflowers, lettuce, celery, etc., etc., may be sown in shallow drills, three inches apart, the seedlings to be afterwards thinned or transplanted to a nursery-bed, or garden frame. Another method is to sow the seed of each vegetable in shallow boxes filled with prepared soil, the boxes being placed on the hot-bed, first covering the latter with a few inches of soil. The boxes containing the seedling plants may be afterwards transferred to cold frames, and the plants gradually hardened off before finally planting out in open quarters.

Hot-beds may be used for the raising of many flowering plants, especially half-hardy annuals which need the assistance of artificial heat in the earlier stages of their growth. Such will include asters, stocks, antirrhinums, dianthus, phlox Drummondii, marigolds, etc.

In the management of a hot-bed air must be given carefully, and only at the back of the frame by raising the sash with a brick, or piece of wood. When the soil in the bed or boxes requires water the latter should be given tepid. In frosty weather cover the glass sashes with straw mats or dry sacking. Such covering should be removed during the day-time.

THE CELERY CROP

Sowing celery seed and waiting for it to come up is a weary job, and if it has been sown in a bed or box where weed seeds are plentiful it is a thankless job. Sown inside in a box in the kitchen in March, it comes up in its own time and will soon be fit for a shifting. It is a vegetable that should be grown on every plot: for not only can it be freely used in the house, but it can be sold freely also in most small towns, and will do wonderfully well in country gardens where there is sweet, fresh soil and plenty of good dung. Where growing the seed is too slow or troublesome the young plants can be bought, and will grow as easily as cabbage plants.

GARDEN PESTS

When a garden is tilled year after year, and fairly well done, the damage by pests is not too great. Slugs and snails are the greatest nuisance, and they survive because old boards, flags, weeds and rubbish are allowed to be about beside fences, or because the fences themselves are littered at the bottom and provide shelter for these pests. Clean up every inch of the garden thoroughly, give ducks a run in it once in a while, and, if you have fruit trees, give them their regular winter dressing. Sometimes big trees that overhang a garden introduce insect pests that drop off the leaves, but in a well-tilled garden the trouble from insects, or indeed from disease, is very small. Already greenhouses are pestered with green fly, particularly where there are cinerarias. There are many home remedies for this nuisance, but the gardener would be well advised to buy some of the proprietary remedies.

SOWING ONIONS

The soil for the onion should be rich, deep and firm. Good bulbs will not be produced in loose soil. Before sowing, rake and level the surface. If the soil is of a heavy nature, beds or ridges four feet wide, with a foot between the beds, should be formed slightly above the ground level. In ordinary soil it should not be necessary to do this.

Firm the soil before sowing by treading over, level and sow seed in half-inch-deep drills, twelve inches apart. Cover seed by levelling over soil with spade or shovel.

When preparing the seed bed for onion seed it is always advisable to fork in a dressing of wood ashes or a potash manure or fertiliser, such as muriate or sulphate of potash, at the rate of 1½ to 2 ozs. per square yard.

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ST. ANN'S CHURCH.—10, Matins.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—8, Matins and Ante-Communion. 8, First Evensong of Easter (Bairstow in E flat).

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—7.30 a.m., Holy Communion. 8 p.m., Preparation for the Easter Communion.

ALL SAINTS', Grangegorman.—8.30, Matins and Ante-Communion. 8, First Evensong of Easter and Preparation for Holy Communion.

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH, Stillorgan.—8 p.m., Service of Preparation for Holy Communion.

EASTER DAY

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—To-morrow (Sunday), 8 o'clock, Holy Communion. 11.15, Matins. Tallis Response. Easter Anthems, Psalms 2, 113. Te Deum, Jubilate, Stanford in B flat. Processional Hymn, "The whole bright world rejoices now"; "I know that my Redeemer liveth" (Handel). Hymn 151 (with descant), "Jesus Christ is risen to-day." Preacher, the Very Rev. the Dean. 12 noon, Holy Communion (Choral). Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, Stanford in B flat. Hymn during Communion 204. 3.15, Tallis Responses. Psalm 118. Magn., Nunc Dim., Stanford in B flat. Processional Hymn, "The whole bright world rejoices now." Hymn 151 (with descant), "Jesus Christ is risen to-day." "I know that my Redeemer liveth . . . Worthy is the Lamb" (Handel). Concluding Voluntary, Finale in D flat, Schumann.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, ARMAGH.—Holy Communion first and third Sundays at 8 a.m. Second, fourth and fifth Sundays after Matins. Easter Day. Matins at 11 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 151. Psalms, 2, 113. Service, Alcock, B flat. Anthem, "Since by man came death," Handel. Communion Service, Harwood, A flat. Hymns, 152, 158. Voluntary. Evensong at 3.15 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 151. Psalm, 118. Service, Brewer, D. Anthem, Selection from "Messiah." Hymn, 157. O Filii et Filiae, Guilmant.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—To-day (Saturday), 10 a.m., Matins (plain), 3 p.m., Evensong. Psalms 16 (65), 91 (265). Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, John Clarke-Whitfeld (1770-1836) in F. Anthem 246, "I have set God always before me," John Goldwin (d. 1719). To-morrow (Sunday), Easter Day. Decani. 10 a.m., Holy Communion in the Lady Chapel (plain), 11 a.m., Matins. Processional Hymn 151. Easter Anthems 491. Psalms 2 (705), 113 (326). Festival Te Deum (in A), George C. Martin (1844-1916). Benedictus 768. Holy Communion. Introit 251, "I know that my Redeemer liveth," G. F. Handel (1685-1759). Kyrie, Credo, Sanctus, Gloria, A. J. Eyre in E flat. Preacher, His Grace the Archbishop of Dublin. Hymn during Offertory, 148. Hymn 207 (2). 3.30 p.m., Evensong. Processional Hymn 207 157. Psalm 118 (341). Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, George C. Martin (1844-1916), in A. Anthem 251, "I know that my Redeemer liveth," G. F. Handel (1685-1759). Hymn 146. Recessional Hymn 61.

ST. ANNE'S CATHEDRAL, Belfast.—Holy Communion, 8 and 10.30 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion, 11.30. Venite and Psalm, 2. Te Deum, Jubilate (Service, Stanford in C). Anthem; "He was cut off," "But Thou didst not leave," "Worthy is the Lamb" (Handel). Hymns, 151, 383. Preacher, the Bishop. 1st Evensong, 3.30. Psalm, 118, new Irish Psalter. Magnificat Nunc Dimittis (Service, Cooke in G. Anthem: "I know that my Redeemer liveth," "Hallelujah" (Handel). Hymns, 51, 158, 148. Preacher, the Dean. 2nd Evensong (Parochial). 7. Preacher, Rev. F. C. Jamison, B.A.

ST. COLUMB'S CATHEDRAL, DERRY.—7, 8, and 9 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. Processional Hymn No. 151, Psalms Nos. 2, 113. Service, Te Deum, Harwood in A flat. Anthem, "Worthy is the Lamb," Handel. Hymns Nos. 158, 216. Preacher, the Lord Bishop. 3 p.m., Young People's Service. 6 p.m., Evensong. Processional Hymn No. 49. Psalm No. 118. Canticles, Harwood in A flat. Anthem, "Hallelujah," Handel. Hymns Nos. 402, 146, 496. Preacher, the Dean.

ST. FIN BARRE'S CATHEDRAL, CORK.—Easter Sunday. Holy Communion at 7 and 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion (Choral) at 11 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 762. Psalm, 2. Easter Anthems, Bullock. Te Deum, Stanford in B flat. Communion Service, Darke in F. Introit, "This joyful Eastertide," arr. Wood. Offertory Hymn, 216. Communion Hymn, 204. Preacher, the Bishop. Children's Service at 3 o'clock. First Evensong (Choral) at 4 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 762. Psalm, 118. Service, Stanford in B flat. First Anthem, "He was cut off" . . . "Since by man," Handel. Second Anthem, "Worthy is the Lamb," Handel. Hymn, 158. Second Evensong (Parochial) at 7 o'clock. Psalm, 118. Hymns, 151, 152, 763, 158. Preacher, Rev. E. P. Mills.

ST. CANICE'S CATHEDRAL, KILKENNY.—Easter Day. Holy Communion at 8.30 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11.30 o'clock. Tallis Responses, Easter Anthems, 491. Proper Psalms, 2 and 113, c. 701, 366. Te Deum, Jubilate, Stewart in G. Kyrie, Sanctus (Boyce in A). Gloria (Stewart in G). Processional, "Hail Festal Day." Hymns, 151, 147. Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Tallis Responses. Proper Psalm, 118, c. 390 and 389. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Wood in E flat. Anthem, "Rejoice in the Lord" (Purcell). Hymn, 158. Voluntary, Fantasia in G (Bach).

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL, LIMERICK.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 151. Easter Anthems, 491. Psalms, 2, 113. Te Deum, Smart in F. Jubilate, Chant. Hymn, 139. Kyrie, Credo, Tours in F. Hymn, 216. Preacher, the Bishop. Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. Processional Hymn, 157. Psalm, 118. Magnificat, Stanford in C. Anthem, Selections from "Messiah" (Handel). Hymn, 145 (t. 283). Recessional Hymn, 396.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.—7.30 and 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 7.40 p.m., Evensong. The Warden.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 10.30, Matins. 11, Holy Communion. 5.30, Evensong (Boys' Voices), and "The Cross," Canon Simpson. 8, Reading of the Passion.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.—7, 8, and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. The Vicar. 7, Evensong. Rev. R. J. F. Maconchy. Collections for Poor Fund. Monday—8, Holy Communion.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Rathmines.—7, 8, 10 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon J. Tobias. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. G. Perdue.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH.—7, 8, and 9.15, Holy Communion. 11, Matins (Stanford in B flat). Canon Simpson. 12, Sung Eucharist and Procession (Harwood in A flat). 3.30, Young People. 6.30, Festival Evensong and Procession (Stanford in C). "Blessed be the God and Father" (Wesley). Rev. Noel Waring, C.V.—"Exultamus" (Whitlock).

CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—7, 8, 9, 10 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 3.30, Children's Service. Rev. N. H. Hamilton. 7, Evening Prayer, Rev. R. S. Stewart.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH, Ranelagh.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. Rev. B. M. Kennedy. 7, Evening Prayer. Rev. N. H. Hamilton.

ST. WERBURGH'S CHURCH, Dublin.—8, Holy Communion. 9, Holy Communion. 11.15, Holy Communion. Rev. G. S. McPhail. 3.30, Children's Service. 7. Rev. W. M. Cox.

ST MARK'S CHURCH.—8 and 11.30. Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, the Rector.

THE MAGDALEN CHURCH, Lower Leeson street—The Church's Ministry of Healing.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 12, Holy Communion, Anthem and Sermon. 6.30, Evening Prayer. Anthem and Sermon.

CHURCH OF THE FEMALE ORPHAN HOUSE, North Circular road.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer.

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ST. PAUL'S, Glenageary.—8, 11.30 and 6.30. Holy Communion. 11.30 and 3.30, Rev. T. F. Smith. 6.30, Rev. R. Warrington.

MONKSTOWN PARISH CHURCH.—7.15, 8, and 10.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; the Rector. 3.30, Children's Easter Egg Service. 7, Choral Evening Prayer; the Rev. W. G. P. Cooper.

RATHFARNHAM PARISH CHURCH.—7, 8, and 10.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. G. S. Nowlan. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. C. H. Lloyd.

ST. GEORGE'S PARISH CHURCH.—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 12, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. M. L. Ferrar, Warden of the Divinity Hostel, Mountjoy Square. 7, Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs.

ST. AIDAN'S CHURCH.—8 and 10.15, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. Canon Campbell. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. M. L. Ferrar.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. K. D. B. Dobbs. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. Canon Campbell.

THE FREE CHURCH.—8 and 10.30, Holy Communion. 10.30, Rev. M. L. Ferrar. 7, Rev. T. F. Blennerhassett.

DRUMCONDRA CHURCH.—8, 11, and 12, Holy Communion. 12, Rev. C. J. Tyndall. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe.

NORTH STRAND CHURCH.—7, 8, 10.30, and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. R. K. W. Lowe. 4, Children's Service. 7, Rev. C. G. Tyndall.

ALL SAINTS', Grangegorman.—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 11, Matins (said). 11.30, Sung Eucharist and Sermon. 7, Evensong and Sermon.

ST. KEVIN'S, S.C.R.—8 and 10.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. W. C. L. Walker. 7, Holy Communion; Rev. Martin Parsons.

CLONTARF PARISH CHURCH.—7, 8 and 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. J. B. Neligan. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. G. R. McCollum.

SANDFORD PARISH CHURCH.—7.15, 8, 10.15 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. N. Harvey. 7, Rev. C. T. A. Carter.

MARINERS' CHURCH, Kingstown.—7, 8, 10 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Chamberlain. 3.30, Children's Service. 7, Rev. R. C. Armstrong.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Blackrock—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Sung Eucharist. 7, Evensong. Rev. Syme Millar.

DALKEY PARISH CHURCH—7.30 and 8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. The Rector. 3.30, Children's Service. 6.30 Evening Prayer. Rev. G. R. L. Wynne.

HAROLD'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH—7, 8, 10.15, 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Rev. W. C. G. Proctor. 7, Rev. A T McNutt.

ALL SAINTS' Raheny—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Canon Drury. 6.30, Evening Service. Canon Drury.

ST. BRIGID'S, Stillorgan—7.30, 8.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 6.30, Rev. G. A. Lowe

ZION CHURCH, Rathgar—7, 8, 10, 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30 and 7, The Rector.

ST. MARY'S, Donnybrook—7, 8, 10.30, 11.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Canon Powell. 3.30 and 7, Rev. M. A. Handy.

CHRIST CHURCH, Kingstown—7, 8, 10, Holy Communion. 11.30, Matins and Holy Communion. The Vicar. Anthem, "Hallelujah" ("The Messiah"). 6.30, Evensong and Festival Te Deum.

ST. PAPPAN'S CHURCH, Santry—7 and 10.30, Holy Communion; Rev. W. R. A. Bond. 4, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. MOBHI'S CHURCH, Glasnevin—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. W. A. M. Cox. 3.30, Children's Gift Service; Rev. W. A. M. Cox. 7, Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Coolock—8 and 12, Holy Communion; Rev. W. R. A. Bond.

ST. PHILIP'S and ST. JAMES'S, Booterstown—7, 8, 10.30 and 11.30—Holy Communion. 11.30, The Rector. 7, Canon A. Cross.

ST. MICHAN'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. R. M. May. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. R. J. Kerr.

ST. MATTHIAS'S CHURCH.—8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion; Rev. Dr. de Pauley. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. Dr. de Pauley.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.—10.15 a.m. and 7 p.m., Holy Communion.

ST. MARY'S CHAPEL OF EASE.—8 and 11.30, Holy Communion.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—8, 10.30 and 11.30, Holy Communion. 3.30, Young People's Service. 7, Rev. R. Northridge. 1.5, Daily Intercession.

ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH.—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. F. R. Alexander. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. T. J. Johnston.

ST. VICTOR'S CHURCH.—7 and 8, Holy Communion. 11.30, Holy Communion; Rev. T. J. Johnston. 7, Evening Prayer; Rev. F. R. Alexander.

IRISH CHURCH MISSIONS.—8.30, Holy Communion. 11.30, Morning Prayer. 7, Evening Prayer. Preacher at both Services, Rev. T. R. Horan.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES.

ABBEY CHURCH, Rutland square.—11.45 and 7, Rev. J. C. Breakey

ADELAIDE ROAD.—11.30 and 7, Very Rev. Dr. R. K. Hanna.

ST. ANDREW'S, Blackrock.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. Noel Thompson.

ST. ANDREW'S, Bray.—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Crossett.

CLONTARF.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. G. Barbour.

DONORE.—11.30 and 7, Rev. T. Bole.

HOWTH.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. McCaughey.

KINGSTOWN.—11.30 and 7, Mr. J. D. Gamble, M.B.E.

LUCAN.—10.15, Mr. Ernest E. Logan.

MALAHIDE.—4, Rev. J. McCaughey.

ORMOND QUAY AND SCOTS CHURCH.—11.45 and 7, Rev. T. Byers.

RATHGAR (CHRIST CHURCH).—11.30 and 7, Rev. R. Montgomery.

SANDYMOUNT.—11.30 and 7, Rev. J. S. Crockett.

NAAS.—12 noon. Mr. Ernest E. Logan.

MISSION CHURCH, Ormond quay.—Sabbath School, 3. Evangelistic Service, 4.30. Speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

NORTH STRAND HALL.—Evangelistic Service, 8.15. Speaker, Mr. E. Logan.

METHODIST CHURCHES.

RINGSEND—11.30, Rev. J. England. 7, Mr. H. P. Mourant.

BRAY—11.30, Rev. M. J. Lewis. 7, Rev. J. D. Cairns.

KINGSTOWN—11.30, Rev. W. J. Oliver. 7, Rev. W. H. Hayes.

BLACKROCK—11.30, Rev. W. H. Hayes. 7, Rev. M. J. Lewis.

DALKEY—11.30, Rev. Dawson Cairns. 7, Rev. W. J. Oliver.

SANDYMOUNT—11.30, Rev. R. A. Lockhart. 7, Rev. W. T. Clarke.

BRIGHTON ROAD, Rathgar.—11.30, Rev. Bertram G. East (Holy Communion). 7, Rev. J. Baird Ewens.

CHARLESTON ROAD, Rathmines.—11.30, Rev. J. Baird Ewens (Holy Communion) 7, Rev. Bertram G. East (Holy Communion).

CENTENARY CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green.—11.30, Rev. R. Lee Cole. 7, Rev. S. J. Crawford.

KINGSLAND PARK.—10.30, Rev. S. J. Crawford. 7, Mr. A. Styles.

DOLPHIN'S BARN.—12, Rev. S. J. Crawford. 7, Rev. R. Lee Cole.

SUTTON.—11.30, Rev. G. M. Bryson. 3, Sunday School. 7, Rev. G. M. Bryson.

CLONTARF.—11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m., Rev. H. M. Watson, M.A.

DUBLIN CENTRAL MISSION, George's Hall.—11.30 and 7, Rev. Johnstone Hunter. 4, Brotherhood; Pastor L. E. Deens. Holy Communion Morning and Evening.

MERRION HALL, Lower Merrion street.—12, 3.30 and 7, Mr. Tom Moses (Brazil).

OTHER CHURCHES AND HALLS.

YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Dublin—11.30, Rev. Norman McPherson.

KILMAINHAM CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—11.30, Mr. P. R. Downey. 7, Mr. W. W. Ellis.

ABBEY STREET—11.30, Rev. W. T. Clarke. 7, Rev. R. A Lockhart, B.A.

BLACKHALL PLACE—11.30, Rev. R. Moore, B.A. 7, Mr. J. A. Smith.

CLONLIFFE—11.30, Mr. T. G. Bradshaw. 7, Rev. J. A. Kells.

INCHICORE—11.30, Rev. J. A. Kells. 7, Rev. E. G. Speidel.

LUCAN—11.30 and 7, Rev. C. Wilson.

UNITARIAN CHURCH, St. Stephen's Green—12 and 7, Rev. C. Simpson.

NORTHUMBERLAND HALL, Dun Laoghaire—3.15, Children's Service. 4.15, Bible Class. 7, Mr. J. Douglas Leech.

HARCOURT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—11.30 and 7, Pastor L. E. Deens.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS—Meetings for Public Worship:—
6 Eustace street, Dublin, 11 a.m.
Monkstown, 11 a.m.
Churchtown, 11 a.m.
Bray, 11.30 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Lower Baggot street (a branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room (same address) open daily from 12 noon.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Dublin, Rathmines Park (branch church of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.). Services—Sunday, 11.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School, 11.30 a.m. Wednesday, Testimony Meeting, 8 p.m. Christian Science Reading Room, Rathmines Park, open daily, free to the public.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS.

CITY OF DUBLIN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Lower Abbey street, Dublin—To-night, 8 o'clock, The Rally. To-morrow, 5 p.m., United Bible Class. Mr. G. V. Evans. 8.30 p.m., Gospel Service. Mr. B. W. Peake (general secretary). Solos—Mr. Norman Jones.

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED

HALF House to Let, Unfurnished, 4 rooms and kitchen, large gardens, adjoining beach; adults only; Sutton.—G 1157, this office. 19 A

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DAFFODILS—A box of freshly pulled, lovely, single blooms; 3/- 100, post free by return; 500 10/-, 1,000 15/-, carriage paid.—Reid, Carramore Gardens, Ballina, Mayo. 22 C

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ST. Enda's Preparatory School, 88 Cowper road, Rathmines—Children up to 13 years. For Prospectus apply Maura McCarthy, B.A., H.Dip. in Ed. 21 C

CYCLIST'S DEATH AFTER FALL
CORONER AND DANGEROUS PRACTICE

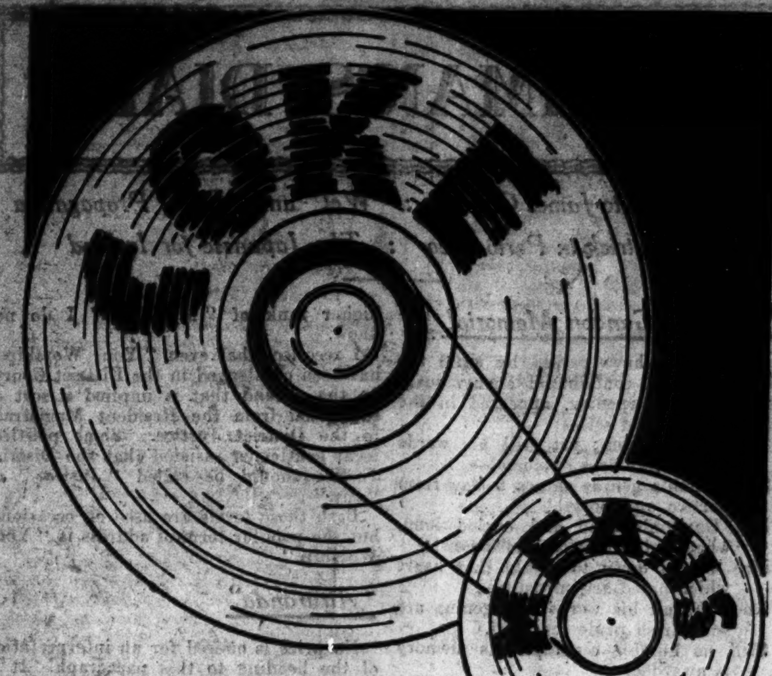
"It was one of those things which would always happen so long as people rode bicycles and carried parcels on handlebars," stated Coroner J. J. Lynch, on Friday evening, when he held an inquest at the County Hospital, Navan, on the body of Joseph Brien, aged 40, a railway porter on the G.S.R. at Kingscourt, who died at the County Hospital, Navan, where he was admitted on Thursday night.

The evidence showed that the deceased man was found injured on the Carrickmacross road. He had been riding a bicycle, and was carrying parcels. The road at that point was bad, and was wet and greasy.

Sergt. McGauran stated that the bicycle was a sports model, and he ascertained that the right pedal had been missing for some time.

The medical evidence was to the effect that the man had a depressed fracture of the base of the skull.

The Coroner returned a verdict of accidental death.



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EASTER SUNDAY.

Sun-Saloon Coaches will leave from Burgh Quay at 11.0 a.m. for Glendalough and Avoca; at 3.0 p.m. for Glendalough, and from 2.30 p.m. for Surprise Tours.

EASTER MONDAY.

FAIRYHOUSE RACES

G.S.R. Coaches will leave Aston's Quay, Burgh Quay, and Black Lion, Inchicore, from 9.30 a.m. for Fairyhouse Racecourse. Patrons will be brought right on to the Course.

RETURN FARES

SUNSHINE COACH **7/6** — ORDINARY COACH **6/-**

To avoid disappointment, patrons are advised to travel early to the Course.

Omnibus Department, Transport House, Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

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DISTRIBUTIVE WORKERS' UNION
DISPUTES COST £7,000 IN TWO YEARS

The thirty-eighth annual report of the Irish Union of Distributive Workers and Clerks for the year ended December 31, 1939, states that although there had been no major developments during the year, it had been one of the most difficult and troublesome in the experience of the Union. In the early part of the year there had been pronounced depression in trade, and that had been reflected in the organisation itself, where there had been a serious drop in the number of new members enrolled, and also in the amount of contributions collected.

The Executive Committee constantly had been engaged in dealing with wage demands. In almost all instances agreements had been reached. They never had been free from trade disputes, and a few of them had been very serious. In the past two years £7,000 had been expended directly on trade disputes alone, apart from further sums payable from the management fund in respect of these disputes.

During the year the Union had enrolled 1,916 new members, and lost, for various reasons, 1,934. The net effective membership at the end of the year was 9,745.

The balance to the credit of the Union at the end of the year was £29,767. That was greater by £3,409 than the amount to credit at the beginning of the year.

The total cash receipts for the year amounted to £19,103, which was £567 less than for 1938, which, however, was a peak year. There had been a decrease in entrance fees of £187 and in members' contributions of £495. The decline in members' contributions occurred mainly in Dublin branches, and must be attributed to a large amount of arrears outstanding. In the revenue account the income for the year amounted to £19,128, and expenditure, including provision for depreciation and doubtful debts, to £15,718. The assets of the Union at December 31, 1939, amounted to £33,704. Liabilities at the same date, including trust money on hands, came to £1,137, and reserves for special purposes stood at £2,799.

The British Minister of Health (Mr. Walter Elliot) has appointed Miss Z. I. Puxley to be an assistant secretary (acting) of the Ministry.

STORE CATTLE SALES

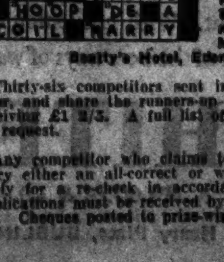
MESSRS. CRAIGIE BROS.

At Craigie Bros. store cattle sale on Thursday last numbers on offer were similar to last week. There was again a scarcity of aged cattle, the bulk of those on offer being from 1½ to 2 years. With a large attendance of buyers, trade was brisk throughout for all well-bred lots, and prices tending dearer. James Sutton sold Hereford A.A. and shorthorn cross bullocks, 2 years, from £20 15/- to £18; James Dungan, Hereford and shorthorn ditto, from £19 2/6 to £16 10/-; Mrs. Shalvey, shorthorn bullocks, 2 years, £16 10/-; R. W. Cobbe, shorthorn bullocks, 2½ years, £18 15/-, A.A. ditto, 2 years, £16; C. McAllister, A.A. cross heifers, 2 years, £15 2/6; John Egan, 25 A.A. cross heifers, 2 years, £14; Peter Reilly, shorthorn heifers, 2 years, £16 15/- to £13 7/6; blackfaced horny ewes, with lambs at foot, from 40/- to 55/-.

MESSRS. GANLY AND SONS.

Numbers on offer not so large as last week, but included a fairly good selection of all classes. There was again a good attendance of buyers, including representatives from England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland, as well as home feeders, and demand was again brisk at prices fully up to last week's improvement. Really good quality forward conditioned bullocks and heifers of all classes were in particularly keen demand, and many more lots could have been satisfactorily sold. Mrs. McNally's Hereford cross and polly bullocks, £28 to £17 5/ (56/- to 50/- per cwt.); Captain G. Woods's A.A. cross bullocks, £26 5/- and £23 15/- (54/- to 53/-); E. J. P. O'Brien's Hereford cross bullocks, £23 15/- (55/-); G. Skelly's A.A. cross bullocks, £23 5/-, £21 10/- and £19 2/6 (55/- to 53/6); J. Fallon's polly bullocks, £22 7/6 (51/-); F. J. Murtagh's A.A. cross and horned bullocks and heifers, £23 10/- to £18 10/- (58/- to 53/-).

RESULT OF PENNYPOTS CROSSWORD No. 11



The solution decided upon by the Adjudicating Committee is shown on left. The following three competitors share the first prize of £80, each receiving £26 13/4.

Derham, Mr. J. 28 Iona Drive, Dublin.
Kennedy, Mrs. M., Tooncaha, Tarbert, Kerry.
Moran, Mr. E. A., Beatty's Hotel, Edenderry.

Thirty-six competitors sent in entries with one error, and share the runners-up prize of £40, each receiving £1 2/3. A full list of these will be sent on request.

Any competitor who claims to have sent in an entry either an all-correct or with one error may apply for a re-check in accordance with rule 12. Applications must be received by first post on April 1st. Cheques posted to prize-winners on April 3.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

A Memorial to James Gandon : "Wet" and "Dry" Propaganda
St. Patrick in Porto Rico : The Japanese for Ireland

The James Gandon Memorial

Many years have passed by since the following lines, contributed anonymously by a Dublin carpenter, appeared in the *Irish Builder* (old series):—

The prophet dies; yet still his words
  outlast like fires immortal—
So Gandon's genius shines to-day from
  portico and portal!
But Gandon's dead and buried long,
  where soft suburban moisture
Has melted down to mould that heart
  which hated art imposture;
And, though his works and genius are
  with Irish pride regarded,
Still no humble cenotaph his memory
  is awarded.
This cold neglect of him to-day is not
  a kind reflecture
From that old city once he crowned a
  Queen of Architecture.

Some of the finest of our public buildings, including the Customs House, the Four Courts, part of the Bank of Ireland, the King's Inns and the Military Infirmary, are in themselves memorials of him who did more than anybody else to beautify Dublin, and who as a true artist gave generous encouragement to local men of talent; and now at last the carpenter's lone call has been answered by the Royal Institute of Architects of Ireland, who are presenting a mural testimonial.

On Monday I hope to reproduce the engraved bronze plate, designed by Mr. G. F. Beckett, F.R.I.A.I., and executed by Mr. Charles Sawier, of No 2 Bedford row, Dublin, soon to be affixed within Drumcondra Parish Church, near the grave wherein lie the remains of James Gandon.

Francis Grose

An interesting fact about Gandon's grave is that it holds also the remains of Captain Francis Grose, F.S.A., who came to this country to compile the "Antiquities of Ireland."

Grose died suddenly in a house in Dorset street, and the work was completed by Edward Ledwich. W. F. Wakeman, the Dublin annalist, who attended Gandon's burial, believed that it was by chance that Grose's grave was opened for Gandon; but James Gandon, junior, has recorded (in the biography of his father) that it was the great architect's expressed wish that his remains should lie along with those of his old friend.

Grose was a little man—about five feet high—of many parts and rare qualities. As well as his "Antiquities" (of England and Wales, Ireland and Scotland) and several military histories, he wrote on such diverse subjects as "A Treatise on Ancient Armour," "Rules for Drawing Caricatures," "A Glossary of Local Proverbs," "A Classical Dictionary of the Vulgar Tongue," and, strangest of all—remembering that he described his own circumference as being nearly double his height—"A Guide to Health and Beauty."

Most of his books are illustrated with his own drawings, and his self-caricature, in the uniform of the Surrey Militia, is not the least amusing of his humorous works.

Robert Burns mentions him in "Tam o' Shanter":

"Now, by the powers o' verse and prose!
  Thou art a dainty chiel', O Grose!
Whae'er o' thee shall ill suppose,
    They sair misca' thee;
I'd take the rascal by the nose,
    Wad say, Shame fa' thee!"

"Your Honour"

Occasionally a witness in one of the Dublin Courts addresses the judge as "Your Honour," but that is a term which has passed out of recognised use since the Free State came into being. All judges, from Circuit Court judges up to the Chief Justice himself, are addressed as "My Lord," while the justices (or magistrates) of the District Courts are termed "Your Worship."

Across the border County Court judges—who correspond in rank to our Circuit Court judges—are called "Your Honour": why ours should be given the higher rank of "My Lord" I do not know.

I recollect that even "Your Worship" has been challenged in the District Courts on the ground that it implied a sort of succession from the Resident Magistrate to the District Justice. Some politico-legal gentlemen insisted that the District Justice should be called "Justice" or "Sir."

Both those terms are used on occasions, but the popular form of address is "Your Worship."

"Atruranda"

No prize is offered for an interpretation of the heading to this paragraph. It is just the Japanese word for Ireland.

The other day I came across a man who has been studying Japanese, and obtained this translation. For some reason, probably the association of ideas, I also got the Japanese word for independence—*dokuritsu*.

I was rather more interested, however, in the Japanese syllabary, known as the *kana*, which is formed by a series of ideographs. These also have been expressed in Roman characters. There are seventy sounds expressed in ideographs, and from a table of them I discovered that the only single letter *kana* in the syllabary are the five vowels of our own Roman alphabet, with one addition—the letter N. The remaining ideographs are all syllables represented by two or three letters.

Unfortunately, the Japanese language is not just a matter of knowing the *kana*, because a lot depends on the inflexion of the voice, and a single *kana* may have more than a dozen different meanings. Incidentally, the letters l, q, v and x are not used in either Japanese or Chinese.

"Wet" and "Dry"

Bored, apparently, with the tameness of the European war up to the present time, the citizens of Belfast are engaged on an internecine struggle—pussyfoot *versus* anti-prohibitionist.

The temperance men rely on large posters showing convivial gatherings over a syphon of lemonade, while their opponents stress the economic ills that would follow prohibition—unemployment and a fall in revenue.

The anti-prohibitionists particularly deplore the "dry" Sunday, which, they assert, keeps away tourists.

Incidentally, this has its repercussions on the Dublin-Belfast expresses. When travelling by the G.N.R. a day or two ago I made an inquiry about the closing of the bar at the border on Sundays; it elicited the information that this ceremony was performed at Dundalk on both north and south bound trains, and not at the border itself or at Goraghwood.

Another injustice to the South!

"St. Patrick in Porto Rico"

You appear (writes Mr. John Hartland, of Donnybrook) to be rather cocksure of your statement that the veneration of St. Patrick in the West Indian island of Porto Rico owes nothing whatever to Irish influence.

Well, it is an historic fact that Cromwell deported many Irish people to the West Indies, where they acquired negro slaves to cultivate sugar and cotton.

In this connection Lord Frederic Hamilton in his book, "Here, There and Everywhere" (published about 1934), says on page 218: "The little island of Montserrat has one peculiarity. The negroes all speak with the strongest of Irish brogues. These negroes learnt English in the fashion in which their masters spoke it. The white man has gone; the brogue remains."

Undoubtedly, those exiles carried their traditions also with them, and it is more than likely that some of them were landed in Porto Rico, 250 miles distant. This would explain the origin of St. Patrick's Day celebrations in that island three centuries back."

QUIDNUNC.

GALA MIDNIGHT MATINEE

In response to the committee's appeal for women volunteers to act as programme sellers for the gala midnight matinée in aid of the Irish Entertainment Trade Benevolent Fund at the Theatre Royal on March 29th, over fifty replies have already been received. The volunteers will consist mainly of members of the entertainment business.

In addition, Mr. M. Cauley, managing director of Dawn Beauty, has promised to send the finalists in last year's Dawn Beauty contest. Miss P. Gillis-Bolton, 1939 winner, and Miss G. Mitchell, 1938 winner, will also help in the sale.

One of the big features of the matinée is the augmented orchestra and chorus taking part. The Theatre Royal orchestra will be augmented by the Gaiety Theatre orchestra and the Queen's Theatre orchestra, forming one of the largest combinations of its kind ever featured in an Irish show.

PARISH OF ST. PAUL, GLENAGEARY.

The Board of Nomination for the Parish of St. Paul, Glenageary, met on Thursday last at the Diocesan Offices, 43 Kildare street, Dublin, and adjourned until Friday, 5th April.

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

LESSONS OF DEATH AND RESURRECTION

The Rev. V. K. Johnson, chaplain of Queen's College, Oxford, preached at Evensong in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, yesterday. He spoke of Nicodemus and Joseph of Arimathea, "joint undertakers of the funeral of Our Lord, and chief mourners at His grave."

When Our Lord was the popular idol, Nicodemus kept under the cover of night, and Joseph followed Him by stealth. Then, when the people had dethroned and crucified their idol; when His closest friends, who had owned Him as the Son of God, were gone; when Christ was dead and discredited, these two men came to His side and took up His body and wrapped it in the spices of their love, and gave it royal honours. No earthly gain in discipleship then. No one near to crown and cheer their deed. All that they were certain of was their shame. But for them, the body of Our Lord would have been carted away and cast into the Valley of Tophet.

"How can a man be born again when he is old?" Nicodemus knew now. It had happened. "How can a man be brave when he is a coward?" Joseph of Arimathea knew now. It had happened.

At the morning Service the Archdeacon of Clonfert concluded his series of addresses on the Passion. He spoke of the crucifixion as a source of life to the world. The early Christians thought of Christ, not so much as the world's example of morality, but as the Divine Lord who was far above humanity. In the life they received from Him they went forth to purify the Roman world and to redeem society. A like task to-day lay before the followers of the Crucified. They were called to go forth in the power of Jesus Christ, to bring life and peace to a world dead to righteousness, truth and love.

To-morrow the preacher will be the Archbishop of Dublin at the 11 o'clock Service. There will be Festal Evensong at 3.30, when the Easter Anthem will be sung.

MOTOR RACING THRILLS

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION LECTURE

The history of the sport of motor racing has been liberally scored with serious accidents, but there are far more wholesome excitements than the things that the sensational newspapers call "thrills," said Mr. Harold C. Brown, Motoring Correspondent of the *Irish Times*, in an address on "Motor Racing Thrills," which he delivered before the Presbyterian Association, Dublin, on Thursday night.

Mr. Brown told of his own experiences as an eye-witness of motor racing accidents and of some historic "crashes," including the terrible series of accidents in the Paris-Madrid race of 1903, which became known as "the race of death." The only Irish driver in the race was Leslie Porter, of Belfast, and his mechanic, Nixon, who also came from Belfast, was killed when the car ran into a level crossing near Bonneval and went on fire.

Inevitably they came to the question: Was motor racing worth while? It served a purpose. It searched out the weaknesses in cars and motor cycles, and by revealing them provided the manufacturers with information upon which to make their products safer in the future. There had been a cost in men's lives; but had it been a heavy cost? With all the motor racing in Ireland in recent years there had not been one Irish driver killed or even seriously injured. More people were killed at home or at work than on the roads. On an average thirty-seven people were killed every week in England through falling down stairs. Every week six babies were suffocated, seven scalded to death and two burned to death. If a dozen men all over the world were killed in road racing in the course of a year, did it matter very much when nine or ten times as many were being killed in revolving doors in United States offices?

A new type of world had evolved in the last sixty years, and a new type of man with a new type of mind and a new type of sport was evolving to cope with the new type of life. Motor racing was the sport of the day, and, whatever one thought of the so-called thrills that accompanied it, they were a lot more stimulating than a book on abstract philosophy.

Mr. T. W. Murphy presided.

MANUFACTURERS' AGENTS' MEETING

At the annual general meeting of the Manufacturers' and Commercial Agents' Association of Ireland, held in Wynn's Hotel, Dublin, the secretary reported that the Association had continued to make steady progress and that membership had increased.

Numerous inquiries for first class agents were dealt with, and satisfactory appointments resulted in many cases, but he regretted that more manufacturers' agents outside Dublin were not availing themselves of the great benefits of the Association.

Moving the adoption of the report, Mr. W. D. Macaulay paid a tribute to the work of the hon. secretary.

The new officers appointed were:—President, Mr. R. J. Broderick; Vice-President, Mr. G. S. Russell. Committee—Messrs. W. D. Macaulay, R. J. Broderick, G. S. Russell, W. J. Kendrick, J. Lyttle, W. A. McComas, G. G. Shepherd, R. W. Cody, F. G. Bestall, J. J. McMorrough, J. J. McMorrough, jun.; P. McArdle, A. E. Doolan, and E. Shepherd, hon. secretary and treasurer, 68 Dame street, Dublin.

IERNE PLAYERS AT PEACOCK

The Ierne Players, who have had two successful seasons at the Peacock Theatre, return on Monday night under the capable direction of Mr. J. J. Mullen. The ever-popular Hawtrey play, "The Private Secretary," will occupy the first three nights of the week, and, in the hands of such an excellent cast, this comedy will be enjoyed with all the freshness and enthusiasm of a first production. Mr. C. P. Hackett, in the leading *rôle*, gives an outstanding performance. Included in the cast are:—Misses M. Regits, Maureen Fanning, Kathleen Oleary, Maisie Reid, Messrs. N. Doyle, E. T. Bourke, R. Parkinson, T. O'Brien, L. Henry, W. Lenham.

On Thursday, for three nights, a three-act play, entitled "To Have and to Hold," by Lionel Brown, will be produced for the first time in Dublin. Mr. W. Lenham will play the part of the crippled husband. Miss Marjorie Regiar plays the part of the wife. Others in a well-balanced cast include:—Misses Nora Griffin, Kathleen Bradshaw, Messrs. N. Doyle, T. Archer and C. P. Hackett.

COUNTRY PRODUCE SALE

The annual country produce sale organised by the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families' Association, and usually held in the month of March under the title "The March Market," has had to be postponed to April 24th and 25th owing to the severe weather early in the year. As it is hoped to have more produce than usual, the Market is being held in the Supper Room of the Mansion House, instead of, as formerly, in the Dawson Hall.

COMING STAFF DANCE

The annual staff dance of the Clarence Hotels Company, Ltd. (incorporating the Clarence, Wynn's and Royal Exchange Hotels), will be held in the Metropole Ballroom on Wednesday next. The organisers of this function have left nothing undone to ensure its success. "Spot" prizes and other novelties will be provided, and dancing will be from nine p.m. until two.

ON THE WIRELESS

TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 223 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); ATHLONE, 531 Metres (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.); and CORK, 242 Metres (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.)

5.30—T. J. Sheils (Fiddle), Gerald Alexander (Harmonica), Irish Dance Music.
5.50—Bring Your Gardening Problem Here: G. O. Sherrard.
6. 5—Ceol diamhair draoidheachta le Mairead Ni Ghrada.
6.40—Sports Results, Official Announcements.
6.45—To-day's News.
7. 0—Easter Week: Liam Redmond.
7.45—Flute and Piano Duets: Mellie Flynn and Eamonn O Gallchobhair. Sonata No. 1 in B minor (J. S. Bach), Minuet from Sonata in G (J. S. Bach).
8. 5—Da mbeinn-se im Stiurthoir ar Radio Eireann: Sean S. O hEigeartaigh.
8.20—Light Opera and Musical Comedy: Irish Radio Orchestra (conductor, Capt. J. M. Doyle), with Chrissie Manning (Soprano) and T. P. O'Brien (Tenor). Orchestra: Ov., The Arcadians (arr. Wood); C. Manning and T. P. O'Brien: The Love Duet (La vie Parisienne) (Offenbach); Chrissie Manning: Sweethearts (V. Herbert); C. Manning and T. P. O'Brien: Had I the Light Guitar (The Irish Girl) (Collisson); Orchestra: Four dances from Merrie England (German); C. Manning and T. P. O'Brien: Some say that to Float (The Irish Girl) (Collisson); T. P. O'Brien: The Gipsy Song (Gipsy Love) (Lehar); C. Manning and T. P. O'Brien: To-morrow (The Vagabond King (Friml); Orchestra: Musical Comedy Memories (arr. Finck).
9. 5—The Game of Gold: Eddie Hackett.
9.20—Nuacht an Lae.
9.30—Sponsored Programme.
10. 0—To-night's News.
10.20—County Louth: A Panorama in Story and Song, prepared by D. L. Kelleher.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391 Metres (Scottish) and and 449 Metres (Northern).

7.0—Time and News. 7.15—Recordings by Harold Williams (baritone). 7.30—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 7.35—Physical Exercises for Women. 7.45—Organ (Harold Smart). 8.0—Time, News, and Summary of Programmes. 8.15 — Richard Crean Orchestra.

9.0—Margaret Collier (soprano) and Ivan Mellodew (baritone). 9.30—Recent recordings. 10.0—Holy Week Reading by Dr. W. R. Maltby. 10.15—Time and the Daily Service. 10.30 — B.B.C. Northern Orchestra. 11.5—"Horace the Kinkajoo." 11.20—Organ (Gerald Shaw). 11.40—Brahms. 12.15—The Manchester Hippodrome Orchestra.

1.0—Time and News. 1.10—Entr'acte Players. 1.40—Band of H.M. Royal Marines, Plymouth Division. 2.15—"The Last Hatch." 2.30—"Cuban Song and Dance" (records). 3.10—"Scene in a Park" (a short story). 3.30 — B.B.C. Orchestra.

4.15—West Ham v. Charlton Athletic (a commentary). 5.0—News and a News Talk in Welsh. 5.20—Children's Hour. 6.0 — Time and News. 6.15—"Despatch from the Front." 6.30—The Luton Band.

7.0—"The Colonel's been Murdered at Last" (a crazy comedy). 7.30—"In Town To-night." 8.0—"Garrison Theatre." 9.0—Time and News. 9.20—Raymond Gram Swing (from America). 9.35—B.B.C. Orchestra. 10.15 — "Lighten our Darkness" (evening prayers). 10.30 — Dance Cabaret (from the Royal Bath Hotel Ballroom, Bournemouth). 11.0 — Henry Hall's Orchestra. 11.45—Henry Newbolt (a reading of his poems). 12.0—Time News and close down.

B.E.F. PROGRAMME

11.0 a.m. to 6.0 p.m. (G.M.T.)—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres). 6.0 p.m. to 11.0 p.m. (G.M.T.)—804 Kc. (373.1 Metres) and 877 Kc. (342.1 Metres).

11.0—To-day's Programmes. 11.5—Fats Waller (records). 11.20—Organ (Gerald Shaw). 11.40—"Recipe for Romance." 12.15—B.B.C. 1.0—Time and News. 1.10—Lewisham Hippodrome Orchestra. 1.40—B.B.C. 2.15—Ina Souez (records). 2.30—"Cuban Song and Dance" (records). 3.10—Jack White and his Band (with Tony Morris and Norma Clarke). 3.45—B.B.C. Theatre Organ (Dudley Beaven). 4.15—B.B.C. 5.0—"Farewell, Leicester Square." 5.40 — Irish Dance Tunes (McNamara's Ceilidhe Band). 6.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 6.30—"Searchlight on Sport." 6.45—Lew Stone and his Orchestra. 7.30—B.B.C. 9.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 9.15—"What's on To-morrow?" 9.20—Harry Roy and his Band. 10.0—A Popular Concert (records). 10.30—B.B.C.

From 11.0 p.m. to 12.15 a.m. 342.1 m. will radiate the Home Service Programme.

ON THE CONTINENT

BEROMUNSTER (539.6 Metres).—8.15-10.0 p.m.—"Henry VIII," opera (Saint-Saëns).
BRUSSELS II (321.9 Metres).—3.0-5.40 p.m.—The St. Matthew Passion (Bach), relayed from the Royal Flemish Conservatoire, Antwerp.
EIFFEL TOWER (206 Metres).—10.45-11.15 p.m.—Chamber Music.
HILVERSUM I (1,875 Metres).—5.35-6.30 p.m.—Symphony Concert by the Utrecht Municipal Orchestra and Rijnbergen (violin). Conductor: Van Otterloo.
HILVERSUM II (301.5 Metres).—9.25-10.30 p.m.—KRO Chamber Orchestra, Violin and Soprano. Conductor: Reinards.
MILAN (368.6 Metres).—8.15-12.30 (Sun.)—"Parsifal," three-act opera (Wagner), relayed from La Scala, Milan.
NAPLES (230.2 Metres).—8.30-10.40 p.m.—Massed Dopolavoro Bands and Choruses.
RADIO-PARIS (1,648 Metres).—8.0-9.30 p.m.—Programme relayed from the Opera.
ROME (420.8 Metres).—9.10-10.20 p.m.—Symphony Concert. Conductor: Selvaggi.
SOTTENS (443.1 Metres).—9.15-10.20 p.m.—Cabaret, with Helene Regelly.
STOCKHOLM (426.1 Metres).—7.45-8.15—Old Dances.

GATE-GAIETY SEASON

"THE DREAMING DUST"

For their Easter programme Hilton Edwards and Micheal Mac Liammoir are giving a colourful first production to Denis Johnston's latest play, "The Dreaming Dust," which, to those who remember their first productions of "The Old Lady Says No!," "Bride for the Unicorn," and "Storm Song," looks like providing a spectacular end to the Gate-Gaiety season.

Mac Liammoir has excelled himself with the settings and costumes. Such scenes as the Spring Gardens in 1714, and a big London reception in the last years of Queen Anne's reign; the interiors of St. Patrick's, the Deanery and Celbridge, are all treated by him in a way that is arresting yet keyed to the mood of each scene, vividly individual yet always a part of the whole, and upon which some fine work has been done by Molly McEwen and Kay O'Connell. There are such well-known figures of the early eighteenth century as Steele (Michael Golden), Gay (Roy Irving), Dr. Berkeley (Emerton Court), Mr. Ford (Christopher Casson), Harley (Joseph Slevin), and Mrs. Masham (Toska Bissing); the Earl of Orrery (Cecil Monson), and the Duke of Ormond (Edward Byrne). There are fine little eighteenth century vignettes by Tyrell Pine (Mr. Partridge), Cathleen Murphy and Jean St. Clair (flower sellers in the Liberties), and Dermot Twohy (a servant); and there is the lovely Stella (Meriel Moore) and her faithful Dingley (May Carey), the passionate Vanessa (Coralie Carmichael) and her flighty mother (Dorothy Day); and, dominating the whole play, there is Hilton Edwards as Jonathan Swift.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH

"THE JOY OF THE PASSION"

Preaching on Thursday last at the Lunch-Hour Service in St. Ann's Church, Dublin, the Rev. L. A. Millar spoke of "The joy of the Passion." He said that when Jesus was suffering on His terrible pilgrimage He had within Him a deep well of joy—a joy that came to Him in the consciousness of work well done. He knew that he was working the Divine will. There was nothing like the satisfaction that came to one from work well done. In carrying out the will of His Father, Jesus found happiness and joy, strength and courage. How many of them, as they went through the pilgrimage of life, could say that there was a perpetual joy in their hearts? Very few. Christ could see joy and beauty around Him, and, if they could only learn day by day to thank God for the beauties of life, then their eyes would not be blind to the magnificent splendour of the world in which they lived. Suffering and joy always would be side by side, and they should try to get something of Christ's joy, courage and confidence in their hearts.

GRAMOPHONE RECITAL

Miss L. O'Callaghan gave a gramophone recital in the Central Hotel, Dublin, on Wednesday, the principal work being Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. Miss O'Callaghan, in introducing her recital of this symphony, pointed out that the work might be regarded as a product of a most stormy period in the composer's life. The version played, though not the latest, was chosen because of the all-round excellence of the vocal section. The programme also included all the recorded items of the Bach St. Matthew Passion, particularly impressive being the solos by Elizabeth Schumann and Mearlys Offers.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

RADIO EIREANN—DUBLIN, 223 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.); ATHLONE, 531 Metres (566 Kc.) (100 Kw.), and CORK, 242 Metres (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.)

12 noon—Relay of High Mass and Benediction from Mullingar Cathedral.
5.30—Act I, "Magic Flute" (Mozart) (Records).
6.45—Nuacht na Seachtaine.
7. 0—Calling All Listeners: Michael Farrell.
7.10—From the Joyce Collection: Irish Music. Arthur Darley (Guitar), Dorothy Clifton ('Cello), and Henry Walsh (Oboe).
7.25—Rita Christopher and William Rathborne, Violin and Flute Duets: Serenade (Woodall), Duettino, Op. 36 (Fr. Doppler), Song of the Nubian Girl (C. Taylor).
7.40—Ulster Ballads: Singer, Sam Mooney (Baritone). Speakers, Patricia Clancy and Robert Mooney.
8.10—Easter Week Commemoration Concert, relayed from Gaiety Theatre, Dublin. Cecily Kenny (Soprano); An Tailliuir Meadhfach (Traditional), The Song of Glen Dun (Hardebeck). Larry Daniel (Tenor): Ireland, Mother Ireland (Loughborough), Ballad (Brian na Banban). Kathleen Uhlemann (Contralto): Eamonn an Chnuic (Traditional), Dark Rosaleen (Needham). Seamus O Horain (Elocutionist): Rose of all the World (Yeats). Mairin Ni Sheaghdha: Traditional Harp Solos.
9.40—Question Time relayed from Roscrea.
9.20—Sports Survey: J. L. Brennan.
9.30—Sponsored Programme.
10. 0—Five-Minute Appeal on behalf of Catholic Seamen's Institution: Rev. J. Shanahan, C.M.
10. 5—To-night's News.
10.20—Sean O Ceallachain: Gaelic Sports Talk.
10.30—Dublin Metropolitan Garda Ceilidhe Band. Conductor: Supt. C. O'Donnell Sweeney.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

WAVELENGTHS—391.1 Metres (Scottish) and 449.1 Metres (Northern).
News at 7 a.m., 9 a.m., 1 p.m., 9 p.m., and 12 midnight.

7. 0—Time, News, To-day's Programmes. 7.15—Springlike Records. 7.40—Harold Ramsay (at the B.B.C. Organ). 8.0—Jean Oldaker (soprano) and Murray Davies (baritone). 8.30—The Clifford Quintet. 9.0—Time, News, To-day's Programmes. 9.15—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra. 9.45—"The Easter Bells of Moscow" (Paul Shihrkoff). 10.0—Marches and Waltzes (Records). 10.30—An Easter Morning Service from the Cathedral and Metropolitical Church of Christ, Canterbury. 11.30—The London Palladium Orchestra. 12.15—The Spirit of France—5. 12.30—Organ (Lloyd Thomas). 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—B.B.C. Military Band. 1.45—The Chalumeau Ensemble. 2.15—In Your Garden. 2.30—Sunday Orchestral Concert. The B.B.C. Orchestra and Noel Eadie (soprano). 3.30—Eugene Pini and his Tango Orchestra (with Dorothy Carless). 3.55—Easter Carols: The B.B.C. Midland Singers. 4.15—Songs of Work (Records). 4.40—Frank Merrick (pianoforte). 5.0—News and a Topical Talk in Welsh. 5.15—Children's Hour. 6.0—Time, News. 6.15—Under Nazi Rule—6. 6.35—Sandy Macpherson (at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ). 7.0—Johann Strauss (records): Count Alfred Hessenstein. 7.30—Boulevard Players. 7.55—An Evening Service for Easter Day, from The Temple Church, London (the Rev. Canon Harold Anson, Master of the Temple). 8.40—The Week's Good Cause. 8.45—Dvorak, played by Frederick Grinke (violin). 9.0—Time, News. 9.20—"Resurgam!" 10.0—The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra and Edith Coates (contralto). 10.45—Epilogue. 10.55—The B.B.C. Salon Orchestra. 11.30—Beethoven's String Quartet in F, Op. 135, played by the Menges String Quartet. 12.0—Time, News, and close down.

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11.0—Time, Short Morning Service. 11.10—To-day's Programmes. 11.15—Jack Wilson's Versatile Five. 11.40—Songs of the Spanish Provinces. 12.0—The Andrews Sisters with Ambrose and his Orchestra (records). 12.30—Organ (Lloyd Thomas). 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—B.B.C. 1.45—"Gulliver's Travels" (records of the principal numbers from the Fleischer cartoon). 2.10—Irish Tunes: James McCafferty and James McElroy (fiddler). 2.30—"Garrison Theatre." 3.30—Community Hymn-Singing. 3.50—Harry Leader and his Band (with Terry Wilson and Len Reed). 4.15—The Coventry Hippodrome Orchestra. 5.0—Andy Kirk and his Twelve Clouds of Joy (records). 5.15—"Despatch from the Front." 5.30—Fred Hartley and his Sextet (with George Melachrino). 6.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 6.30—Sandy Macpherson (B.B.C. Theatre Organ). 7.0—An Evening Service for Easter Day, from St. Paul's Cathedral (the Rev. Canon F. A. Cockin). 7.20—"Weekly News-Letter." 7.40—Arthur Sandford (piano). 8.0—Dance Music from America: Raymond Scott and his Swing Band (recorded). 8.30—Ice Hockey from Canada (a commentary). 9.0—Foreign Languages Bulletin. 9.15—"What's on to-morrow?" 9.20—"These You Have Loved" (Doris Arnold will play some more records). 10.0—Oscar Rabin and his Romany Dance Band. 10.45—Epilogue.

ON THE CONTINENT

BRUSSELS I. (483.9 m.).—8.30-8.50 p.m.—Te Deum (Handel). 9.10-9.45 p.m.—Pastoral Symphony (Beethoven).
BRUSSELS II. (321.9 m.).—8.30-10.0 p.m.—Aboard the s.s. Radio-Gala Variety.
EIFFEL-TOWER (206 m.). — 9.45 p.m.—Germaine Cernay (soprano).
HILVERSUM II. (301.5 m.).—8.55-11.10 p.m.—K.R.O. Chamber Orchestra and Choir.
KALUNDBORG (1,250 m.). — 8.0-9.15 p.m.—Danish Music: Orchestra, Songs.
MILAN (368.6 m.).—5.0-7.10 p.m.—Symphony Concert, relayed from the Teatro Adriano, Rome. Conductor, Willy Ferrero.
POSTE-PARISIEN (312.8 m.).—8.20-9.15 p.m. Zeppilli Orchestra: Songs.
RADIO-PARIS (1,648 m.).—7.30-9.30 p.m.—The Labours of Hercules, Operetta (Terrasse). Conductor, Elie Cohen.
REYKJAVIK (1,442 m.).—10.0 p.m.—Missa Solemnis (Beethoven).
SOTTENS (443.1 m.).—8.50-9.45 p.m.—Suisse Romande Orchestra. Conductor, Ansermet.

JUNIOR AVIATION CLUB

The first of two lectures on navigation was given to the Irish Junior Aviation Club in the Moira Hotel, Dublin, on Thursday night by Captain Arthur Dowds, Principal of the Irish Nautical College. Captain Dowds dealt with terrestial navigation and the determination of position on the earth in a non-technical manner. He explained the use of the compass, maps and charts, and how a pilot should use them to fix his position. Different methods of projection also were explained.

THE ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION

The concluding lecture of the session will take place on Tuesday next at 8 p.m., when Mr. Horace T. O'Rourke, F.R.I.A.I., F.R.I.B.A., M.T.P.I., City Architect, will deliver a lecture entitled, "The Control of Building Elevations." Mr. O'Rourke's paper is one of interest to all members of the profession, and it is hoped that it will give rise to an interesting and profitable discussion.

CORK STREET FEVER HOSPITAL AND HOUSE OF RECOVERY.

The Dublin Fever Hospital Board held their monthly meeting in the Boardroom of the Hospital on Thursday, 21st March, 1940, at 9 o'clock. In the chair: M. O Foghludha.

There were also present:—M. Byrne, J. W. Freeman, Senator D. Healy, Mrs. Kingsmill Moore, Mrs. Mulvey, A. Malcomson, Mrs. McKean, Mrs. Nix, A. Pearson, J. W. Shackleton, W. R. Wigham.

The Medical Superintendent (Dr. C. J. McSweeney) reported that 246 patients were admitted in February, which, with 267 remaining in hospital at the end of January, gave a total of 513 under treatment for the month. Of these 209 were discharged cured, 286 were still in hospital at the end of February, and 18 died. The fatal cases were classified as follows:—Diphtheria, 6; tuberculous meningitis, 5; gastro-enteritis in infants, 3; influenzal meningitis, 1; cerebro-spinal fever, 1; broncho-pneumonia (in an infant), 1, and chronic bronchitis and emphysema, 1.

Accounts for supplies to the hospital during the month were examined and paid.

The Board thankfully acknowledge the following gifts received during the past month:—Toys, Books, Magazines, etc.—Mrs. Tucker, 8 Usher's Island, Dublin; Mrs. Donegan, Vinoville, Shanakiel, Cork; Miss Eileen O'Dwyer, 7 Geraldine square, South Brown street, Dublin; Miss C. C. Tisdall, c/o 14 Ranelagh avenue, Ranelagh, Dublin; H. Stokes, Esq., M.D., 32 Upper Pembroke street, Dublin; M. A. Steifox, Esq., 14 Clareville road, Rathgar; B. Switzer, Esq., c/o Messrs. A. Guinness and Co., Dublin; Mrs. Darley, Maryland, Vernon Grove, Rathgar, Dublin; S. H. Roche, Esq., Craigholm, Foxrock, Dublin; — Flanagan, Esq., Bloomfield Cottage, Herberton road, Dublin; Mrs. Harold Goodbody, Kilcoursey, Clara, Offaly; Louis Grubb, Esq., Beskin, Carrick-on-Suir, Co. Tipperary.

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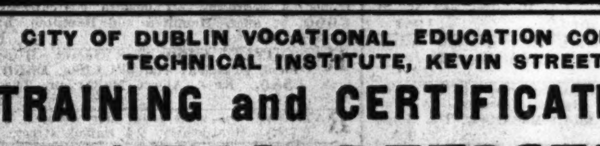

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At a special Service held on Wednesday evening, conducted by Rev. Robert Crossett, B.A., Moderator of the Dublin Presbytery, Maunder's cantata, "Penitence, Pardon and Peace," was sung by an augmented choir. The soprano solos were effectively rendered by Mrs. McDermott. Mr. Ralph Symmons' singing of the baritone solos gave full expression to their beauty and dignity. The well-balanced choir gave a pleasing performance with admirable clearness of diction.

The Moderator said he felt sure the congregation would wish him to convey their thanks to the soloists, and to all who contributed to the provision of such a beautiful musical service.

Miss Eileen Symmonds, L.R.A.M., who was responsible for training the choir, presided at the organ.

GATE THEATRE

Oscar Wilde's play, "An Ideal Husband," will be presented by Longford Productions at the Gate Theatre to-day at 2.30 and 8.15, and during next week. This is probably Wilde's best play, and contains the sparkling wit usually associated with the author, together with a strong element of drama. The production is by Gerald Pringle, with settings and costumes by Carl Bonn. The leading part will be played by John Izon.

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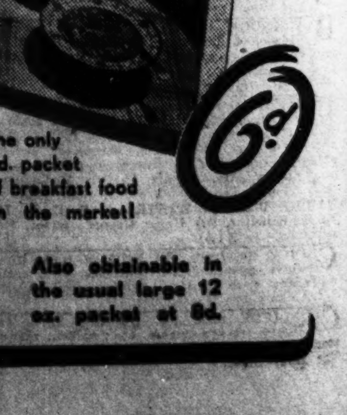

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Too Mu[ch] Educatio[n]

Mr. Stephen Le[acock's] Opinio[n]

Too Much College. By St[ephen Leacock]. London: Bodley Head. 7/6

LEACOCK in serious ve[in] ... up this work in some ... case the absence of that fam[iliar] ... of wit might have made hi[m] ... pompous; but our fears we[re] ... The knowledge gained thro[ugh] ... teaching in McGill Unive[rsity] ... with an underlying hum[our] ... apparently irrepressible, m[akes] ... a most convincing, even frig[htening] ... on modern educational meth[ods].

"What I find wrong," he ... stark division now existing ... years of formal education ... the work of life." Subje[cts] ... method—both need reform ... What can be omitted? ...

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What Science Does

And then, science. "The ... realised that he has in him ... five feet of colon and sem... of string of sausages—can ... same of himself again." ... frightened of himself he c... the unnecessary "little ... changed him "from the v... God that he was to the di... full of mess that one yea[r] ... makes him."

And Modern Language[s] ... these become little more ... English, which Frenchme[n] ... pass at all. Who cares if ... an irregular plural? We a... to use the word. All that ... French does is to rise up ... when we try to speak the ... native.

What Economics Do

And Economics. Leacock ... terrible jargon, "incre... "margins" and the like. ... our appetite for breakfast ... marginal demand. That ... And if I buy one cigar, but ... call that my submargi[nal] ... point for nicotine." ... person can no more unders[tand] ... can understand Chinese." ...

These are just a few of ... Leacock has to offer, and if ... a more damning indictme[nt] ... tion" in recent years, we ... hear of it. Unfortunately, ... reputation will stand aga[inst] ... one will take him seriously ... does not detract from the ... what he has to say.

A Voice [from] Yesterd[ay]

Collected Ess[ays of] Graham W[allas]

Men and Ideas. By Grah[am Wallas] ... a Preface by Gilbert M[urray] ... George Allen and Unwin. ...

THIS volume of essay[s] ... Graham Wallas con... of the author and a prefac[e] ... Regius Professor of Gre[ek] ... Anything written by Dr. ... reading, and this preface ... Dr. Murray tells us that ... these essays, the Oxford ... different from the Oxford ... he adds the remark that ... still learn from the wri... Wallas was "one of th[e] ... subtlest critics of the V... thought, in convention, ... methods of Government." ...

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Jeremy Bentham

The essays, collected a... writer's daughter, were a... present century, but so... from its earliest years. ... divided into three sets, ... biography, society and ... education. The first of ... to be the most generally ... subject is Jeremy Benth[am] ... whose relation to the ph... of a hundred years ago ... that of Socrates to Plato ... Bentham, unlike Socrate[s] ... nously, but Benthamism ... sophy of Socrates, becam... through the writings of ... Bentham essay was w... brate, in 1922, the ... the foundation of Uni... London, of which, acco... Bentham was "the int... The skeleton of the ... "dressed in his favouri... by a wax mask of ... quaintest of (the) Colleg[e] ... is still to be seen (if ... have not removed it), a... and seventy boxes and ... manuscript" are in the ... They will probably lie ... many a year. Even "the ... volumes of Bentham's C... one gathers, are seldom ... readers. Through his ... essence has permeated t...

Pointers to the Futur[e]

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Too Much Education ?

Mr. Stephen Leacock's Opinion

Too Much College. By Stephen Leacock. London: Bodley Head. 7/6 net.

LEACOCK in serious vein? We took up this work in some trepidation in case the absence of that familiar leavening of wit might have made his style merely pompous; but our fears were groundless. The knowledge gained through years of teaching in McGill University, coupled with an underlying humour that is apparently irrepressible, make this book a most convincing, even frightening, attack on modern educational method.

"What I find wrong," he says, "is the stark division now existing between the years of formal education and entry in the work of life." Subject-matter and method—both need reform. But how? What can be omitted?

To begin with, spelling. At present it takes a child two years to learn to spell even passably, and many well-educated people never learn at all. "If spelling were rational, an intelligent child would in a month be able to read any word that it could say." But we are too lazy to change. "The Turks can do that, but we, the English and Americans, can't; and, if we could, the Irish wouldn't. They would demand free spelling and die for it."

What Science Does

And then, science. "The man who has realised that he has in him about twenty-five feet of colon and semi-colon—a sort of string of sausages—can never think the same of himself again." Because he is frightened of himself he can't be cured; the unnecessary "little learning" has changed him "from the vague image of God that he was to the dirty contraption full of mess that one year's physiology makes him."

And Modern Languages. Nowadays these become little more than tests of English, which Frenchmen would never pass at all. Who cares if "*chacal*" has an irregular plural? We are never likely to use the word. All that school-taught French does is to rise up and choke us when we try to speak the language to a native.

What Economics Do

And Economics. Leacock smites at that terrible jargon, "increments" and "margins" and the like. "Let's call our appetite for breakfast our consumer's marginal demand. That will fool them. And if I buy one cigar, but won't buy two, call that my submarginal saturation point for nicotine." "The ordinary person can no more understand it than he can understand Chinese."

These are just a few of the criticisms Leacock has to offer, and if there has been a more damning indictment of "education" in recent years, we should like to hear of it. Unfortunately, Leacock's very reputation will stand against him. No one will take him seriously. But that fact does not detract from the importance of what he has to say.

A Voice From Yesterday

Collected Essays of Graham Wallas

Men and Ideas. By Graham Wallas, with a Preface by Gilbert Murray. London: George Allen and Unwin. 8/6 net.

THIS volume of essays by the late Graham Wallas contains a portrait of the author and a preface by the former Regius Professor of Greek at Oxford. Anything written by Dr. Murray is worth reading, and this preface is no exception. Dr. Murray tells us that the Oxford of these essays, the Oxford of 1908, is very different from the Oxford of to-day, but he adds the remark that universities can still learn from the writer's criticisms. Wallas was "one of the keenest and subtlest critics of the Victorian age in thought, in convention, in education, in methods of Government."

The portrait interested me. In the year 1906 or 1907—perhaps earlier—I was introduced to Wallas at an election in Hoxton. We shook hands, and no doubt inquired about each other's health; then, staying not for answers, we went our several ways. But the brief encounter left an impression, and when I opened this book, I found in Wallas's portrait features that were not unfamiliar.

Jeremy Bentham

The essays, collected and edited by the writer's daughter, were all written in the present century, but some of them date from its earliest years. They have been divided into three sets, and deal with biography, society and politics, and education. The first of them may prove to be the most generally interesting. Its subject is Jeremy Bentham, the thinker whose relation to the philosophic radicals of a hundred years ago was not unlike that of Socrates to Plato and his school. Bentham, unlike Socrates, wrote voluminously, but Benthamism, like the philosophy of Socrates, became known chiefly through the writings of disciples. The Bentham essay was written to celebrate, in 1922, the centenary of the foundation of University College, London, of which, according to Wallas, Bentham was "the intellectual father." The skeleton of the old philosopher, "dressed in his favourite clothes, topped by a wax mask of his face"—"the quaintest of (the) College possessions"—is still to be seen (if A.R.P. exigencies have not removed it), and "one hundred and seventy boxes and bundles of his manuscript" are in the College Library. They will probably lie there unedited for many a year. Even "the eleven enormous volumes of Bentham's Collected Works," one gathers, are seldom opened by modern readers. Through his disciples their essence has permeated the modern world.

Pointers to the Future

Bentham as a political "inventor" is the subject of the second essay, and the value of "invention"—of thought focussed and manifested in social and political expedients—is insisted on throughout the book. Wallas dreaded the deadening effects of routine. No system is immune. In 1906 the English public school system was generally admired, but in that year Wallas—himself a public school product—was warning educationists against the ill-effects of public school complacency. To save the system he would have brought into the schools "boys drawn from all classes, of high intellectual capacity and good preliminary training;" he would, in fact, have dealt with the public schools as educationists (for somewhat different reasons) would now, 34 years later, deal with them.

Some of these essays may tell us what was thought a quarter of a century ago rather than what is to be thought to-day, but in all one can find pointers to what is still the future.

DRAWING THE CROWD : NO. 18

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NEXT WEEK: MR. ALBERT WOOD, K.C.

Previous drawings in this series have been of Lennox Robinson, Erskine Childers, T.D.; Alderman Alfred Byrne, T.D.; Austin Clarke, Cathal O'Shannon, Hilton Edwards, William Conor, John P. Colbert, Seamus O'Sullivan, the Earl of Longford, R. C. Ferguson, Patrick McGilligan, T.D.; Sir John Lavery, Maurice Walsh, Sir Robert Tate, K.B.E.,; F. M. Summerfield and Alan Kidd.

The Turbulent Thirties

A History of Half-forgotten Things

The Thirties. By Malcolm Muggeridge. London: Hamish Hamilton. 9/6 net.

CONTEMPORARY historical records, such as one finds in the newspapers, are unreliable stuff. The news of to-day is modified by the reports of to-morrow. The Cardinal, who was murdered by the Spanish "Reds," to the accompaniment of screaming three-column headings, is revealed by a tiny paragraph in the next day's issue to be safe and well in another part of Europe. It is impossible to have a close-up view and see events in perspective simultaneously, and ideological astigmatism usually affects the painter of ad interim news.

How far should one be from the picture to appreciate the nice gradations of colour, the proper value of this piece of light and that of shade? Two years? Ten years? Twenty years? Fifty years? Last year James Cleugh wrote an amusing book, entitled: "This Was Your World"—a sly account of the years 1919-1929—and he stood far enough away from the decade of his review to be able to laugh at it. Readers were surprised that so much of what they had almost forgotten had occurred in ten somewhat inglorious years. Now Mr. Malcolm Muggeridge has come closer to the period of which he would be the pioneer historian, and has given us an account of the years 1930-1940.

Having No Heroes

Like Mr. Cleugh, he has a sense of humour. One has to have to maintain even a simulacrum of sanity these days. He arouses chuckles at the expense of Right and Left, having no heroes whatsoever, so that the politician and the sentimentalist may get annoyed with him at times. He misses, for example, the tragedy of Haile Selassie, and omits from an otherwise comprehensive record that painful and disgraceful scene at Geneva, when the representatives of the Italian Press attacked the poor Emperor.

"The Thirties" is a book that one takes up with enthusiasm; but, unless there is time to finish it at a couple of sittings, there may be a tendency to abandon it before the last pages are reached. The reason is that it is not a book for occasional light reading, and that the author has endeavoured to crowd a tremendous amount of matter into it.

The Changing Years

Take the following example of its style, and imagine over 300 pages of similar *fricassé*:—

"If ten years is not long, ten years ago is long ago. Then Shirley Temple had just come crying into the world, where she was soon to delight millions, seated in darkness, solitary or clasped together, while on a white screen before them her little antics were projected. Then the Duke of Windsor was still Prince of Wales, night starvation undiscovered, mixed bathing in the Serpentine unpermitted, trenches in Hyde Park undug and gas masks undistributed, A.R.P. unheard of, "Cavalcade" unwritten and unpraised by Mr. Agate, head-phones in drawingrooms still occasionally to be seen, young women wearing trousers and young men wearing make-up still comparatively rare, mass-observation uninvented, the country still unsaved and Mr. Ramsey Macdonald, who was to save it, still leader of the Labour Party; then Mr. Godfrey Winn was little known, the salaries of members of Parliament had not been raised from £400 to £600 a year . . ." and so on.

Mr. Muggeridge has tried to find a pattern in the swiftly moving events and drastic changes of the ten years with which he deals. He has been impartial. Perhaps it is impartiality which makes the book seem humorous in places, for impartiality is so unusual about contemporary events that its unexpectedness strikes as bizarre. Probably "The Thirties" will be a valuable guide to those years when the historian of 1980 or 1990 wants pieces of detail for his picture; in the meantime, it is full of half-forgotten things that are interesting to remember again.

"Imaginings" For Children

Fairy Moonbeams. Poems by Nora Galloway. With illustrations by Naomi Heather. Dublin: Browne and Nolan. 2/6 net.

THE publishers are to be congratulated on their enterprise in producing this book, which has charm and individuality to make it "different." What the exponents of the newest child psychology will be likely to make of it we cannot imagine. According to them, it is just "not done" to say to a child—"For goodness sake don't be dreamy, because. . . ." (This is actually the preamble to one of the poems.) But children nowadays are tough little guys, happily for themselves and for us. They are as confident as we are that a joke is a joke, and that the story of Alphonsus is a very good joke, indeed.

As a result of dreaming, he found himself in a curious place; there he met an odd creature in spectacles, who thus addressed him—

"You've got into Jupiter—I am a Jupe—
I live on grilled star-fish, and black, cloudy soup;
I like devilled moonbeams, with Mercury Sauce,
And Milky Way pudding to follow, of course."

Our own next favourite of the seven poems is the one about the little girl who, through staying too long in her bath, found herself carried right down to the seashore—not, however, right out to sea, like our friends, the Three Little Fishes.

Those who are familiar with the strength and vigour of Naomi Heather's work as a dust-jacket artist will find her here in a different mood. Her illustrations throughout the text are very charming, and show a most promising versatility; and there is a coloured frontispiece with imaginative treatment of a moonbeam. These poems should be good for children to recite; they are what the authors of "1066 and All That" call "memorable."

Book News

MESSRS. HARRAP'S spring list announces the publication in May of Professor Constantia Maxwell's new book, "Country and Town in Ireland Under the Georges."

The book will be illustrated with reproductions of old prints.

New Novels

A Sea Island Lady. By Francis Griswold. London: Jarrolds. 9/6 net.

HERE is a very good novel—so good that one feels immediate impatience because it is not flawless. The *New York Times* has called it "an amazing performance." Its writing occupied seven years, and up to a point—but quite differently—it covers the same ground and period as "Gone With the Wind." The lady of the picturesque title is Emily Moffet, who comes as a young bride to South Carolina with her husband when the Confederate Army is defeated and the negroes become "freedmen." Aaron Moffet is a most unpleasant character, and cannot be said to lose his young wife's love, for it was never his. After much tribulation she is left a widow; her marriage into an impoverished Southern family brings its own troubles; but her spirit is never broken, and the writer shows her, still making others "feel good" on the threshold of the 1930's, a very fine old lady.

This is the merest outline. The accretion of detail, both picturesque and pedestrian, is huge. There might have been some "cutting," for certain stretches are very flat. Emily is a convincing character, but she has not got the "bite" of Scarlett O'Hara—perhaps, because she is dyed-in-the-wool good, in spite of an early and unfortunate lapse. An element which cannot be neglected is the admirable way in which the Sea Island scenery is brought to life through the device of letting it be beheld by strangers—for Emily is a "Yankee" in the 'sixties, and in the last part of the book the North comes South again.

There are sidelights on American politics and on the negro problem; and the moral may be drawn that in any reform, or attempted reform, there are people who will contrive to make a good thing out of reconstruction. "I got the greatest admiration for your husband, Mrs. Moffet," an acquaintance says of the disagreeable Aaron. "He knows how to make philanthropy pay. He don't miss a trick."

There are admirable pictures of the despairing confusion after the slaves were freed. (We must take the word of the South, but we know in our own country what partisanship can be!) It is perfectly true that many of the Carolina aristocrats, as Emily's friend said, "had to start all over again from scratch."

This earlier part of the narrative seems to us the best, but its later stages—when Emily yet again "reconstructs" after financial calamity in the 1920's—is good, too. If this behemoth of a book took seven years to write, it deserves at least as many weeks for a considered reading.

The Crown. Elisabeth Bergstrand-Poulsen. London: Thornton Butterworth. 7/6 net.

This is a most beautiful and elevating story, and we hope it may not miss its deserved success through being told in so quiet and unsensational a manner. To English readers, no less than to ourselves in Ireland, Elisabeth Bergstrand-Poulsen is a new discovery: but Swedish critics have compared her to Selma Lagerlof, and this, the first of her books to be translated into English, is a very good choice.

The setting is a Swedish rural community. The heroine, Serafina, is a saintly—in the sense of a sanctified—character: she sees no "visions," but her short life is sacrificed to her ideal of duty towards the community, of which she is a humble member. Humble, that is, in the sense of birth: for Serafina has beauty as well as character. Her husband is, like her father, a ne-er-do-well: owing to his carelessness and brutality she is accidentally killed; but she passes on her sense of duty—of vocation, as some of us understand it—to her young daughter, and the story moves forward to the desired ending.

"The Crown" is symbolically the reward of spiritual attainment; but it is also the name given to a beautiful chandelier presented by a former lord of the manor to the village church. The deed of gift contained the proviso that the family graves should be kept in repair. They fell into neglect: and at last the lady of the manor, without warning, removed her ancestor's gift, the sole treasure of the little church and its means of illumination. For external framework the book deals with Serafina's exalted vow to atone for her people's neglect in order that the chandelier might be restored. But the incidental sketches of character and of rural life are just as important as the main theme. Here is the description of the old sexton, who "rings in" Christmas morning:—

"For a moment he stood still and gazed into the breathless Yule night that seemed to press in surging billows towards him. He groped a few steps higher, set his foot upon the worn, smooth pedal of the great bell and pushed. . . . The old sexton had been a huzzar, and his bowed legs had been rounded to the curve of a horse. . . . It was like setting foot upon a stirrup; when the bell leaped high into air, powerful, sentient horses reared, eager for the signal of battle.

We say advisedly, a lovely book—but not for materialists.

The House in Haarlem. By Ludwig van Schendel. London: Routledge. 8/3 net.

This is a book that can be recommended without reservation. The second of van Schendel's trilogy, it amply fulfils the promise of the first.

The theme of the book is the manner in which the knowledge of his father's delinquency—he was a swindler who died by his own hand—preys on the mind of young Berkenrode.

Around this the author has built a study, first of the normally naughty child, then of the boy who begins to feel that there is some kind of inherited sin in his tendencies to disobedience, and finally of the young man who has gradually become so obsessed by his imagined taint that sin itself is irresistible to him.

The introduction of the other characters is finely balanced. We meet Janjse and Stien, the servants; Wouters, the candid neighbour; the girl Wijntje, Gerbrand Werendonk, the uncle who makes a life's work of the repayment of his brother-in-law's debts; Frans, the simple uncle who loves church bells, particularly the Damiaatjes—the little bells of joy and hope that he rings every evening.

"The House in Haarlem" is, in every sense of the word, a good book.

Mandragora. By John Palmer. London: Gollancz. 8/3 net.

"Mandragora" is a simply constructed and extremely readable novel on the theme of the traffic in illicit drugs. Stephen Lawson is head of an elaborate organisation for the smuggling of drugs into England; his daughter, Marjorie, becomes an addict. According to an older formula, he ought to discover his daughter's addiction and repent of his evil ways; but the plot is by no means as simple as that. It all ends with an excellently done trial scene—which reads quite remarkably like the real thing—but before this *dénouement* is reached one has received a very comprehensive picture of the ramifications of the poisonous traffic. The story rolls pleasantly from London to Marseilles and back again, and there is a delightful French detective—why are these French detectives always delightful?—who plays a main part in the unravelling of the traffickers' web.

The Criminal Law of Ireland

The Criminal Law of Ireland (Outlined). By P. A. Sheehan. Dublin: Thom.

MR. SHEEHAN'S book is primarily for the use of law students, but it has a second purpose in the provision of an up-to-date reference to the changes and amendments that have been made in the criminal law in Southern Ireland (Mr. Sheehan omits to mention the fact that there is a criminal code in Northern Ireland also) since 1922.

"Even in our case law," he writes in his preface, "we see in a number of decisions in our Courts since 1922 the growth of an independent judicial outlook."

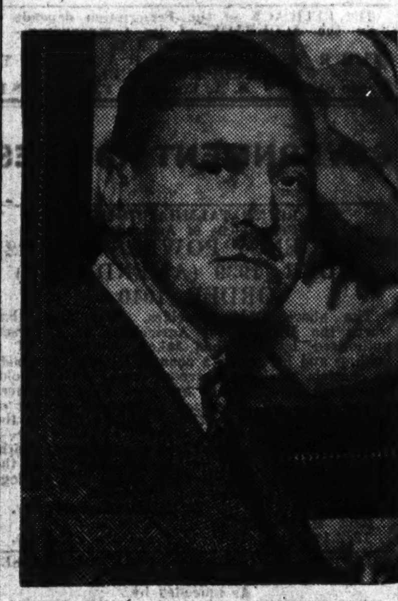
The foreword is written by the Chief Justice, who pays a tribute to Mr. Sheehan for his industry and ability in performing a difficult task so admirably.

Somerset Maugham Describes France in War Time

France at War. By W. Somerset Maugham. London: Heinemann. 6d. net.

AT first sight, it would hardly have been possible for the Ministry of Information in England to make a better choice than Somerset Maugham to write about "France's National Effort." Maugham was, if we remember aright, born and bred in France, and feels more at home there than with his physically hearty, but intellectually more reserved, compatriots. But somehow his detached, almost feminine, delicacy of style goes ill with his subject-matter.

As a writer of penetrative short stories and plays, Maugham has few equals, but in this propaganda he seems strangely ill at ease. One cannot doubt the sincerity of his pleading, but one could wish that it had been employed to better advantage.



Mr. Somerset Maugham.

PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

ART AND ÆSTHETICS.

Drawing a Cat. By Clare Turlay Newberry. London: The Studio. 2/6 net.

The Victorian Poets. By F. L. Lucas. Cambridge: The University Press. 7/6 net.

AUTOBIOGRAPHY AND REMINISCENCES.

I Sought Adventure. By S. J. Rea. London: Blackie. 7/6 net.

BIOGRAPHY AND HISTORY.

Steam Conquers the Pacific. By Arthur C. Wardle. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 10/6 net.

The Private Life of Queen Alexandra. By Hans Roger Madol. London: Hutchinson. 18/- net.

Long Ben Victory. By George Edinger. London: Blackie. 7/6 net.

Home is the Sailor. By William Blain. London: Hurst and Blackett. 12/6 net.

Horrabin's Atlas-History of the Second Great War. Vol. I. London: Nelson. 3/6 net.

The Polish Gold. By Robert Westerby and R. M. Low. London: Methuen. 3/- net.

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.

Children's Gardens. By Edwin L. Howard. London: The Studio. 2/6 net.

FICTION.

The Bazaar. Short Stories by Martin Armstrong. London: Jonathan Cape. 1/9 net.

World's Strand. By Irene Grant. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3 net.

That Flanagan Girl. By Patsy Ruth Miller. London: John Long. 8/3 net.

Vanguard. By H. V. T. Burton. London: Methuen. 9/- net.

The Norths Meet Murder. By Richard and Francis Lockridge. London: Jarrolds. 7/6 net.

Festival. By Hamilton Basso. London: Jarrolds. 9/6 net.

The Golden Murder. By Dorothy Cameron Disney. London: Robert Hall. 7/6 net.

First Love. By Dorothy Black. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3 net.

Mr. Polton Explains. By R. Austin Freeman. London: Hodder and Stoughton. 8/3 net.

The First Television Murder. By Val Gielgud and Eric Maschwitz. London: The Crime Book Society. 7/6 net.

Tarzan the Magnificent. By Edgar Rice Burroughs. London: Methuen. 8/3 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A Key to Speech and Song. By Barbara Storey and Elsie Barnard. London: Blackie. 5/- net.

The County Louth Archæological Journal. Dundalk: The Dundalgan Press.

POETRY AND DRAMA.

Lament and Triumph. Poems by George Barker. London: Faber and Faber. 6/- net.

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The Totalitarian Enemy. By F. Borkenau. London: Faber and Faber. 10/6 net.

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COURTMARTIAL IN DUBLIN

CHARGES AGAINST A SENTRY

HENRY BRADY, described in the order convening the Court as a private in the 6th Infantry Battalion (attached to the 7th Infantry Battalion), a soldier of the Forces, appeared before a general courtmartial at Collins Barracks, Dublin, last Thursday.

He was charged with "having been guilty of neglect to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he at the Magazine Fort, Phœnix Park, Dublin, at about 8.35 p.m. on December 23, 1939, while sentry on No. 1 post, when an armed raider held up the military policeman on duty at the gates of the Fort, neglected to take any steps to defend the Fort."

Brady had been brought before the Court the previous day, and the further hearing had been adjourned after his solicitor, Captain Peadar Cowan, had raised a number of preliminary objections.

THE OBJECTIONS

The objections were:—(1) That the person now before the Court was not a private; (2) that he was not a soldier of the Forces; (3) that he did not belong to the 6th Infantry Battalion; (4) that he was not attached to the 7th Infantry Battalion; (5) that there was no such battalion as the 6th Infantry Battalion; (6) that there was no such battalion as the 7th Infantry Battalion; (7) that Brady had not been remanded for trial by courtmartial by his commanding officer, as required by law; (8) that the jurisdiction of Brady's commanding officer had been improperly interfered with and that pressure had been brought to bear on the commanding officer to remand Brady for courtmartial; (9) that the rule of procedure 4e, which provides that a summary of evidence be taken down by the commanding officer of the accused person, or an officer directed by him, had not been complied with; (10) that rule of procedure 9, which provides that a summary of evidence shall be forwarded through the command legal officer to the proper convening officer had not been complied with; (11) that the order convening the courtmartial did not show jurisdiction on its face.

When the proceedings were resumed, Captain Cowan was asked did he want to call evidence in support of his objections.

The officer commanding the 7th (Dublin) Infantry Battalion was then called and asked by Captain Cowan was the accused man attached to his unit. He replied that he was.

Captain Cowan—Is he a soldier of the Forces or is he a Volunteer?—He was a Volunteer and was called to be a soldier of the Forces on permanent service.

Is he a member of the Volunteer force?—I expect he would be.

The witness then produced routine orders which, he said, he had received when the unit to which Brady was attached was transferred to the 7th (Dublin) Infantry Battalion.

THE NAME "BRADY"

Asked what was the exact entry regarding the accused man, witness said that the entry read "No. 116836—Vol. Brady, H."

Captain Cowan—Have you any entry there relating to the accused?—That is the only name Brady I see here.

A member of the Court—From whom did you get that information?—This is the order as to *personnel* taken on.

Prosecuting Officer—There is only one Henry Brady?

Witness—There is only one Brady in this that I see.

Prosecuting Officer—Can you identify him personally?—I can identify him as the person referred to.

Captain Cowan—Did you ever see this man until after the raid on the Magazine Fort? I cannot recollect having seen him.

Can you swear that that number and that entry relates to this man here?—I did not compile that order. He is a Brady of the 6th, and there is only one Brady in it.

QUESTION AT ISSUE

Captain Cowan—Numbers are a very important thing in the Army—more important than names. The accused man's number is 209191. If I produce No. 116836 Brady to you will you say the entry relates to him or to this man here?—No. 116836 might be an error.

Judge Advocate—The accused's number is 209191. The question at issue is whether the accused is attached to the battalion whose commander purported to remand him for courtmartial.

To Witness—There is no other publication dealing with these attachments in your orders?—Not that I know of.

The point is a serious one. Can you make other inquiries?—I would have to go right through them, but so far as I know there is not.

Judge Advocate—If there is a mistake in the number the Court has power to amend, but it must be satisfied as to the identity.

Captain Cowan said that jurisdiction started with the attachment. That was the only thing that gave the commanding officer power to remand to courtmartial.

The Court adjourned to enable the witness to make further inquiries into the matter.

DOCUMENTS PRODUCED

When the Court resumed, the prosecuting officer said that he wished to call a witness from the Adjutant General's Branch, who would produce documents to show that the numbers 116836 and 209191 related to the same individual.

A captain of the Adjutant General's Branch Record Section, produced two documents, which, he said, were original attestation documents. The first of these, he continued, related to "No. 116836, Henry Brady," and the second to "No. 209191, Henry Brady." Question 8a on the second form read: "Have you ever served in the National Forces or the Defence Forces? If so, give number, unit, date and cause of discharge." The reply was: "Yes. 116836. Breffini Regiment. 7/9/'39. Re-enlistment."

The witness explained that volunteers serving at the time the Volunteer Force was re-organised were given the option of being discharged from their old engagement, or re-enlisting under the new conditions of service.

In reply to Captain Cowan, cross-examining, the witness said that he assumed from the records that both numbers referred to one and the same man.

President—Are you satisfied from the evidence available that Volunteer 116836 is the same person as Volunteer 209191?

Witness—Absolutely.

"A TERRIBLE THING"

Captain Cowan, dealing further with his various points of objection, said that the documents showed that Volunteer Brady was enlisted on September 8, 1939, and that he was transferred to the Volunteer Reserve on that day, and, consequently, he was not subject to military law now. He thought, too, that the Court was well aware that there were no such battalions in existence as the 6th and 7th Infantry Battalions.

With regard to the point that compulsion had been brought to bear on Brady's Commanding Officer to remand him for courtmartial, Captain Cowan produced volumes of the official Dail debates, and quoted statements which, he said, had been made in the Dail by An Taoiseach and the Minister for Defence, both, he stated, making it plain that men were to be courtmartialled a fortnight before there was any question of their being remanded at all.

"I think," said Captain Cowan, "that that is really a terrible thing. I sincerely hope that it never happens again, and that when there is a charge pending against a man that everyone who has the right to investigate that charge will be free to deal with it in accordance with the law. In this case, however, other people took other lines, and these specific statements were made in the Parliament of the country."

PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS

The Officer Commanding the 7th (Dublin) Infantry Battalion, recalled, stated in reply to Captain Cowan that on December 24 he investigated a charge against Brady. To the best of his knowledge it was a charge of being guilty of conduct contrary to military discipline. He had evidence before him, and remanded Brady for further investigation. On March 11 he held a further investigation in that room. The battalion headquarters at that time were in Portobello, and the investigation was held in Collins Barracks for convenience. On the Friday or Saturday before Monday 11, he had been told that Brady would be at Collins Barracks. He remanded him for trial by courtmartial. He had not been directed to do so, and would automatically have remanded him for trial by courtmartial. He did not himself take a summary of the evidence, but a captain did, under his direction. On the 11th witness wrote out an application for courtmartial, and went on leave the following day.

Captain Cowan asked the witness would he be surprised to know that the summary of evidence was taken on 13th?

Witness replied that so far as he knew it was taken on 11th.

Captain Cowan said that, as a matter of fact, the summary of evidence was taken on 13th.

The Judge Advocate, advising the Court on the various objections raised by the defending solicitor, said that the question of what other people had said regarding a courtmartial did not affect the issue in any way. It had nothing whatever to do with that courtmartial. He dealt in detail with the other objection and advised the Court to overrule them.

OBJECTIONS OVERRULED

EVIDENCE CALLED

After a short adjournment, the President of the Court announced that the Court had carefully considered all the objections and had decided to overrule all of them.

Brady was then arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

The corporal in charge of the guard at the Magazine Fort on December 23 said that Brady was a member of that guard and was posted as No. 1 sentry at 7.45 p.m. Brady's post was situated about ten yards inside the inner gate of the Magazine. Brady was armed with a rifle and bayonet and ammunition. He saw him take over a whistle from the sentry he had relieved and also some orders. The inner gate of the Magazine was clearly visible from No. 1 sentry post. Brady got no orders from witness to unload his rifle or magazine. There was a light over No. 1 sentry's beat. He next saw Brady, after posting him, about 8.30 or 8.40 between two armed raiders at the door of the guardroom. He had heard no shot, shout, whistle, or any warning in the meanwhile. The sentry's whistle was for the purpose of calling the military policeman and guard commander. Three blasts were to be sounded to warn the guard to "stand by."

In reply to Captain Cowan, the witness stated that he had been at guard in the Magazine on only one other occasion. If he was sentry on No. 1 post he could not see anything happening outside the Fort, and neither could the sentry on No. 2. It was possible for considerable bodies of men to approach the Fort and to assemble at the gate without being seen.

Captain Cowan—A big mine could be placed at the gate and the place blown up without it being seen?—It could be placed at the gate.

Witness added that on Brady's post there was erected a breastwork of corrugated iron, the top of which would reach almost to Brady's shoulders.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SENTRY

If only the right-hand half of the inner gate was open the No. 1 sentry could not see the policeman opening the outer gate.

Captain Cowan—Had the sentry any orders as to firing?—He was to fire ball ammunition in defence of his life, of his post, or of his comrades' life.

Prosecutor—And to prevent himself from being forcibly disarmed.

To Captain Cowan, the witness said that the position of the sentry would be one of standing in the light and looking into darkness. Two "A" Reserves, four Volunteers and himself (also a Volunteer) comprised the guard on the night of December 23. There were no Regular Army members on duty.

CALLER AT THE GATE

A witness, who on Wednesday was acquitted by general courtmartial of charges brought against him, was the next witness. He said that about 8.45 p.m. on December 23rd the bell at the entrance gate rang, and he went to answer it, having first switched on two lights, one of which illuminated the inner gate and the other the outer gate. He went through a wicket in the inner gate and saw a civilian standing outside the outer gate. This man told witness he had a parcel for Captain Curran, and asked witness would he give it to Captain Curran himself or would witness take it. Witness said that he would take it. He bent down to open the lock, and, as he straightened up, opening the left half of the gate as he did so, the man pushed a revolver to his face and shouted: "Stick them up." Witness did not do so then, but, when the man told him to put up his hands or he would blow his brains out, he complied. He was then marched in through the wicket with his hands up. He was brought past No. 1 sentry, about four paces from him and at his rear.

Brady, continued the witness, was behind the barrier, with his rifle resting on it, covering the gate. Witness was marched past the sentry, and five minutes afterwards he saw Brady in the guardroom.

Answering a member of the Court, he said that the civilian was behind him, and he must have been covering the civilian from the view of the sentry. It struck him that the sentry would have been suspicious when he saw witness with his hands up.

The further hearing was adjourned until Tuesday at 11 o'clock.

The members of the Court intimated that they would visit the Magazine Fort on Tuesday morning.

ANOTHER CASE

Andrew Dunne, described as a corporal of the 6th Infantry Battalion and attached to the 7th Infantry Battalion, a soldier of the Forces, appeared before a general courtmartial, the charge entered against him being that he had been guilty of an act to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he, at the Magazine Fort, Phœnix Park, Dublin, at about 8.40 p.m. on December 23, 1939, while commander of the guard at the Fort, when armed raiders had entered the Fort, counselled Private Peter Merrigan, sentry on No. 2 Post at the Fort, to give up his rifle to one of the raiders.

After the members of the Court had been sworn, the courtmartial was adjourned until next Tuesday.

Captain Peadar Cowan, solicitor, appeared for Dunne.

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The Plan showing the Lands proposed to be acquired, together with a Book of Reference to such Plan, are deposited in the office of the Secretary of the Council at the County Council Offices, Courthouse, Wicklow, and are there open for inspection between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Saturdays, and between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on other week-days.

SCHEDULE HEREINBEFORE REFERRED TO. COUNTY HEALTH DISTRICT OF WICKLOW.

No. on Plan.	Townland and Electoral Division.	Description of Property.	Area (Statute Measure)
			A. R. P.
1	TOWNLAND: Dunbur Upper. ELECTORAL DIVISION: Wicklow Rural.	Portion of Lands of Dunbur Upper, coloured Green on Plan, and measuring approximately 696 lineal yards in length and 40 feet in width, about	1 3 26
2	TOWNLAND: Kilpoole Lower and Kilpoole Upper. ELECTORAL DIVISION: Wicklow Rural.	Portion of Lands of Kilpoole Lower and Kilpoole Upper, coloured Yellow on Plan, and measuring approximately 1,209 lineal yards in length and 40 feet in width, about	3 1 12
3	TOWNLAND: Magheramore and Magherabeg. ELECTORAL DIVISION: Dunganstown East.	Portion of the Lands of Magheramore and Magherabeg, coloured Red on Plan, and measuring approximately 2,014 lineal yards in length and 40 feet in width, about	5 3 9

Dated this 6th day of March, 1940.
P. T. HEALY,
Secretary of Council.
County Council Office,
Courthouse, Wicklow.
J. BRAZIL, Solicitor for Council, 4, Church street, Wicklow.

COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE BHAILE ATHA CLIATH
(COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL).

ABATEMENT OF RATES ON AGRICULTURAL LAND, 1940/41.
EMPLOYMENT ALLOWANCES.

Notice is hereby given that Tuesday, 2nd April, 1940, has been fixed as the final date for the reception of claim forms for abatement of rates in respect of the employment of adult male persons (17-70 years of age) employed during the whole of the year 1939.
An employment allowance will not be made in the financial year commencing on 1st April, 1940, unless a claim is made on a form provided by the Council.
Claim forms received after the 2nd April, 1940, will not be considered.
PATRICK J. MURPHY,
County Secretary.
Offices: 11 Parnell square, Dublin, C.16.
23rd March, 1940.

ST. PATRICK'S NURSERY, PELLETSTOWN, NAVAN ROAD, DUBLIN.
VISITING STOPPED.
Owing to an outbreak of Whooping Cough the Medical Superintendent regrets that it is necessary to stop all visiting here for the present.

SAVOY At 2.55, 5.15, 7.35, 9.55.
LESLIE HOWARD,
In His Greatest Rôle,
"ESCAPE TO HAPPINESS."
Introducing INGRID BERCHMAN,
EDNA BEST, JOHN HALLIDAY.

CAPITOL.
TO-DAY AT 2.54, 5.7, 7.19, 9.32.
LANA TURNER, RICHARD CARLSON, in
"EVERY OTHER INCH A LADY."
FRIDAY NEXT:
JEANETTE MacDONALD and NELSON EDDY in
"NAUGHTY MARIETTA."
LUNCH AT THE CAPITOL RESTAURANT.

ASTOR.
TO-DAY AT 2.20, 4.35, 6.50, 9.5.
GARY COOPER and JEAN ARTHUR, in
"MR. DEEDS GOES TO TOWN."

CARLTON BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.
THE MOST TERRIFIC PRISON DRAMA EVER SCREENED!
CARTON MACLANE in
"MUTINY IN THE BIG HOUSE."
With CHARLES BICKFORD.
In the Dynamic Rôle of "Father Joe."
Showing at 2.45, 5.0, 7.15, 9.30.

ADELPHI. At 2.37, 4.51, 7.5, and 9.19.
GARY COOPER, in
"THE REAL GLORY,"
With DAVID NIVEN, ANDREA LEEDS.
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

5th WEEK.
"THINGS I SAW IN PARIS,"
BY "P.C."
TO-DAY,
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA
(Department of Agriculture).
EMERGENCY POWERS (NO. 12) ORDER, 1939 (AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1940.

The above Order provides, inter alia, that where the Minister for Agriculture or a person authorised by him has taken possession of a holding and has made a conacre letting, the goods or chattels (including severed crops) on the holding which belong to or are used by the conacre tenant shall not be seized under any process of law for the recovery of any moneys due by the occupier of the holding.
Copies of the Order will be placed on sale without delay, and will be purchasable from the Government Publication Sale Office, 3/4 College street, Dublin, or from any bookseller.
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
21st March, 1940.
18/Z.1798 W.H.Co.

THE HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES ACTS, 1890 to 1931,
As amended by
THE HOUSING (FINANCIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1932.
TRIM URBAN COUNCIL COMPULSORY PURCHASE ORDER, 1938.
NOTICE OF PUBLIC LOCAL INQUIRY.

WHEREAS in pursuance of Section 37 of the Housing (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1931, the Commissioner acting as the Trim Urban District Council has made and submitted to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health for confirmation by him a Compulsory Purchase Order entitled "Trim Urban Council Compulsory Purchase Order, 1938," for the purchase of land for the purposes of Part III of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890:
AND WHEREAS objections to the said Order have been made to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health by persons upon whom notices were required to be served in relation thereto:
NOW, THEREFORE, the Minister for Local Government and Public Health hereby gives notice that he has instructed his Inspector, Roderick N. Hogan, Esq., B.E., to hold a Public Local Inquiry into the objections made to the said Order and to report to the Minister as to the propriety of confirming the Order with or without modification and sanctioning the loan which will be required for the completion of the scheme, and the said Roderick N. Hogan, Esq., B.E., will attend at the Town Hall, Trim, on Tuesday, the 2nd April, 1940, at 11 o'clock a.m., to make inquiry accordingly.
Ratepayers and other persons interested may attend at the Inquiry and give evidence thereat.
By Order of the Minister,
J. HURSON,
Runaidhe.
Department of Local Government and Public Health, Custom House, Dublin.
15th March, 1940.
18/Z.1760 W.H.Co.

EIRE.
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.
FISHERIES BRANCH.
(FISHERIES ACTS, 1842 to 1939.)
No. 8 or LIMERICK DISTRICT.
CLOSE SEASON FOR ANGLING WITH SINGLE ROD AND LINE.

The Minister for Agriculture, having received an application to include the whole of the month of October in the annual Close Season for angling for salmon and trout with single rod and line in the Limerick Fishery District, hereby gives notice that Public Inquiries into the subject of this application will be held as follows:

Place.	Date.	Hour.
The City Courthouse, Limerick.	9th April, 1940.	10.30 a.m.
The Courthouse, Mullingar.	11th April, 1940.	12 noon.
The Courthouse, Athlone.	12th April, 1940.	10.30 a.m.
The Courthouse, Carrick-on-Shannon.	16th April, 1940.	10.30 a.m.

D. TWOMEY,
Secretary.
7th March, 1940.
18/Z.1795. W.H.Co.

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1940.

NEWS SUMMARY

IRELAND

A young Buncrana man who went to the aid of two companions when the three were thrown into the water at Lough Swilly by the upsetting of their small craft, lost his life yesterday.—(Page 7.)

Considerable damage was caused by a fire at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, yesterday, due to a fuse caused by a mouse. Nine stalls and part of the choir were destroyed.—(Page 7.)

A strike of 'bus men which began in Galway two days ago threatens to spread to other towns, and already business in Galway City has begun to suffer as a result of the stoppage.—(Page

ABROAD

The French Chamber yesterday passed a vote of confidence in M. Reynaud's new Government by 268 votes to 156, or a majority of 112. There were, however, 110 abstentions, but at a meeting last night the Cabinet decided to remain in office.—(Page 7.)

Germany has sent a Note, which is stated to amount almost to an ultimatum, complaining of Rumania's trade regulations, which, it is believed, are hampering the supply of oil to Germany and favouring trade rivals.—(Page 7.)

Easter

But the chief priests and elders persuaded the multitude that they should ask Barabbas, and destroy Jesus.

Then released he Barabbas unto them: and when he had scourged Jesus, he delivered Him to be crucified.

—St. Matthew xxvii., 20-26.

On this day two thousand years ago the murdered Christ lay in the tomb; and Barabbas the robber walked in His place among the people. Christ, the Spirit of God, took flesh and came on earth to save mankind: but the people of Jerusalem, we are told, would have Him not, and they cried, "Away with this man, and release unto us Barabbas." He had healed the sick and fed the hungry, he had worked miracles among the people, he had preached peace in a world that was filled with hatred. Even the Roman Governor could find no fault in His white and blameless life; but Herod the King and the chief priests, jealous and afraid, persuaded the multitude against Him, and they crucified Him. In His place they cried for Barabbas, a man who for sedition, murder and robbery had been thrown into prison. We in this twentieth century after His death are still shocked by that disaster—or is it that we just profess to be shocked? Have the people ever since paid any more than lip service to His teachings? Christ did not die in Jerusalem on that black day. His spirit walked out into the wide world, and to every generation of men, through its servants, it has preached its message of peace on earth and good-will. Even in the darkest hours it spoke, and still speaks, comfort and assurance to the human heart. Yet Christ is being crucified to-day, has been crucified in every year, in every century, just as brutally, just as blindly, as he was murdered by the people of Jerusalem. Show us the country even now in which He has been given a home: the nation which has not stopped its ears against the message of His magnificent sanity. Once again the people have cast Him out, and have cried for murder and the evil thing. The gentle doves of peace, like the wild birds from the Western front, have been driven from many lands, and gaunt eagles of war sit on the housetops. Yet His spirit, for ever patient, for ever waiting, is speaking below the din as surely to-day as ever it spoke in the past: is murmuring its words of wisdom and guidance to the sorrowing and the afflicted, to the peoples of England, France, Germany, Poland, Finland, Russia—to the whole, disillusionised world. When will they stop to listen? What country is there on which to-day the shadow of war has not fallen? One half of Europe is fighting, and the other half, armed and anxious, knows neither the day nor the hour when it, too, may be dragged into the conflict. Poland and the proud Czechs have been slain; Finland beaten and robbed; three Great Powers are at each other's throats; the Balkans sleep nervously, for the armies of the invaders are at the gate; Sweden, Denmark, Norway, Holland and Belgium are in the same plight; Spain has been torn and mutilated by civil strife; Italy cannot tell friend from foe. What this world will be like when the war is over—whether there will exist any longer even the measure of civilisation that we know—only God in His wisdom can tell; but let His people pray, as they always have prayed at this most holy season of the year, and hope that even in this darkest hour humanity may see Christ in the midst and follow Him.

Whirling Words

We hesitate to criticise the conduct of a man who has been entrusted by the State with the administration of the law in this country; but certain remarks by District Justice Goff during the hearing of a case in the Dundalk Court on Wednesday cannot be allowed to pass without comment. A young man was charged by the police that he had caused bodily harm to the secretary of the Blackrock Skating Hall by kicking him in the face. The secretary's only offence was that during a hockey match in the hall a gramophone record entitled "Lords of the Air" was played. The accused man objected to the playing of this record, apparently on the ground that the words of the song constituted "British propaganda." According to the secretary of the hall, the record was played a second time in order that the committee might find out to what extent the words were objectionable; and it was then that the alleged assault took place. We are not concerned in any way with the merits of the case; but District Justice Goff's behaviour on the bench, in our opinion, was an abuse of his judicial position. "This is a neutral State," he is reported to have said, "and we do not want any British jingoism over here. I think all British imperialistic and jingo music and songs, and all British propaganda films, should be banned; and, as some restitution to the people, I think that record should be burned." At another stage the District Justice is reported to have said: "At the next entertainment it should be publicly burned as some sort of consolation to the people." We are not interested in District Justice Goff's musical taste; but we must protest against such remarks from the bench. A District Justice occupies a position of high responsibility in the State. When a man in such a position advocates the public burning of a gramophone record, his remarks must be regarded as a direct incitement to irresponsible youths, not only in County Louth, but throughout Ireland, to indulge in anti-British demonstrations. We know nothing of the song to which District Justice Goff takes such violent exception. According to the accused man's evidence, there were five hundred persons in the hall when it was being played, and he knew of only five who objected to it. May we suggest, with all due respect to Mr. District Justice Goff, that his *obiter dicta* were grossly improper? They might be pardoned at a cross-roads meeting; from a judicial bench they are unpardonable.

Finland's Good Friday

Good Friday will become to the people of Finland—as it already has become to the people of Albania—a tragic anniversary. Yesterday President Kallio decreed that the peace treaty between his country and the Soviet Union was in force. We suspect that this is not the end of Finland's tribulation. Rumours circulated a day or two ago that the Russians, having at last prevailed upon the Finns to abandon their magnificent resistance, would not be content to abide by the cruel conditions which they had imposed. The two nations had agreed upon new boundaries, sadly to Finland's disadvantage; but rumour held that the Russians would insist upon an even larger share of Finnish territory. This report has been denied officially, but denials count for little in the eyes of power-politics. *Væ victis!* Finland no longer is in any position to protest against whatever terms the victorious Russians may extort, and, if the invaders decide to shift the agreed boundaries a few more miles to the westward, who is there to say them nay? So many thousands of Finnish citizens have been rendered homeless by Russian bombs and by the conditions of peace that some hundreds more can make no difference. When the Soviet troops enter the once flourishing towns in the surrendered areas, they will find emptiness, and the relics of the destruction which they themselves have wrought. We wish them joy of their victory. They have gained some important bases—the possession of Hangoe will give them, to all intents and purposes, control of the East Baltic—but they have forfeited whatever respect they still enjoyed in the world's eyes. It remains to be seen, for that matter, if their military gains will have done them any good; for Russia's encroachments in the Baltic cannot fail to be watched with jealousy by other and even stronger Powers.

Finland's prolonged resistance taught Russia an unexpected lesson. She had not realised that so small a nation could, and would, offer so gallant a fight—though the world's history might have taught her that even the smallest of peoples, fighting for life and liberty, can work something like miracles. Having learned her lesson, she is determined that there will be no need to re-learn it. Already she has seized the little country's natural defences, so that a similar resistance to aggression will be impossible in the future; and she has taken steps to ensure that the Finns shall receive no help from their neighbours. As soon as the peace terms were announced "diplomatic overtures" were made for the establishment of a defensive alliance between the Northern States: Sweden, Norway and Finland. Stalin's Government has wasted no time about forbidding the banns. It has declared that it will interpret any such alliance as directed against Russia, and contrary to the treaty between Russia and Finland. The three nations, presumably, will have no answer. They can argue until they are blue in the face that they have no hostile designs upon the Soviet Union—as if they possibly could have hostile designs thereon—but all their denials will avail nothing so long as the Kremlin wishes to keep Finland isolated. She is, indeed, in a pitiable condition. Nobody can tell when the Russians will cast covetous eyes upon any tract of Finnish territory, or even upon the whole country. Much, of course, will depend upon the progress of the great war in Europe. Stalin will not intensify his demands upon Finland until he is satisfied that the Western Powers are too deeply embroiled with Germany to pay any uncomfortable attention to him; but, if that moment arrives, he will not hesitate.

Not only Russia has learned a lesson: Finland and other small States also have learned one—which is that during a war between Great Powers nobody is safe. Perhaps, the Finns could have been saved. If Great Britain and France had made up their minds to furnish help three or four months ago, they almost certainly would have been saved; but Sweden and Norway would have been drawn inevitably into the great war, and it is most probable that, in the event of an Allied attack upon Russia, she would have declared herself a belligerent on Germany's side, and the scope of the war would have covered all Europe. Some day, perhaps, the *reductio ad absurdum* will become apparent: men will realise that a world whose relations are so complex has no room for intensity of nationalism. In the meantime we simply can watch with dismay as the vortex threatens to engulf one nation after another. To the Scandinavian States their neutrality has been a matter of touch-and-go for months past, and less than a fortnight ago—before the meeting of Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini had provided a new subject for speculation—it seemed impossible that Sweden, at all events, could keep out of the war. The "spotlight" now has shifted to Rumania. Heaven alone knows where it will be focussed a month from now. Of so much, however, we can be sure—that the prospects of any "localising" of the present war are very small. The United States, for the time being, may be able to preserve their lofty seclusion, but who knows when some secret understanding between Moscow and Tokyo may offer a perilous challenge to American interests and bring the currents of the European war very close to American shores? Even this neutral country of ours cannot claim to have been immune from the war's effects. Let us rejoice that, at least, we can afford the luxury of a deeper peace of mind than is permitted to the people of Rumania and Sweden.

Within the Whale

The average man has very little use for whales. Subconsciously he has an idea that they must have been enjoying a fairly easy time since whalebone went out of fashion with women, and he does not grudge it to them; but as a pet he would prefer a goldfish any day. This state of affairs, however, must not be taken as indicating a widespread affection for the foolish-faced fish that display such irritating and utterly fatuous energy in small bowls on suburban sittingroom tables; it merely is a question of the lesser of two evils. In the circumstances, it will be understood that the average man is not going to blubber about any misfortune which the whales may encounter as a result of the war, and the prospect of these massive mammals bumping into mines, magnetic or otherwise, leaves him utterly unmoved. The old theory about whales providing temporary lodgings for gentlemen who find themselves bobbing about in the ocean without a lifebelt or other visible means of support is revived in the new Disney film "Pinocchio," which introduces a whale with interior fittings that would make Jonah grow sea-green with envy. The picture has not yet been shown in Dublin, but reports from the early bird's eye viewers who have seen it in other countries indicate that Disney's whale, which answers to the name of Monstro, is reminiscent of the old painting discovered, according to the *Manchester Guardian*, in a Scottish crofter's cottage. In the painting a section removed from the whale's side revealed the prophet seated on a three-legged stool in an apartment like a ship's cabin, smoking a churchwarden and drinking a glass of beer, a jug of which stood at his elbow. Disney's cetacean possesses a "vast and vaulted interior," much superior to that of the ordinary submarine, but it appears to lack the homely comfort of the Scottish artist's conception. Even Monstro, however, is not a lovable creature, and, apart from acting as a "floating hotel," appears to possess little value. One glance at him should convince the most sanguine whaler that he is useless as an oil-producing unit, and that the material for the manufacture of margarine and soap must be sought elsewhere. The real whales—the fellows who never would dream of acting as lodging-houses for any man, or of bragging about the fact that they can supply large quantities of meat and oil for human consumption—still are dodging the hunters in the Arctic and the Antarctic, and, in order to obtain a truthful and detailed account of their little ways, we must wait until our Government-appointed observers come home from the whaling ships.

COURT AND PERSONAL

The King and Queen, who are spending Easter at Windsor, attended Service at the Royal Chapel, Windsor Great Park, yesterday. They were accompanied by Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret, who are spending Eastertide with their parents. During the afternoon the Royal Family went for a walk in the Royal Gardens of Windsor.

The Duke of Kent made a tour of warships at Falmouth on Wednesday last.

The Duchess of Gloucester, Air Commandant of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force, visited the Directorate at the Air Ministry earlier in the week.

Lord Dunboyne celebrated his sixty-sixth birthday on Wednesday last.

The French Ambassador in London gave a luncheon party at the French Embassy on Tuesday last in honour of M. Jules Julien, the French Minister of Posts, Telegraphs and Telephones. Sir Raymond Birchall and Sir Thomas Gardiner were among the guests.

Lord and Lady Desborough are in residence at Panshangar, Herts., where they will spend Easter.

Lady Patricia Ramsay has been elected Associate of the Royal Society of Painters in Water Colours.

Lady Bridget Guinness has returned from Rome.

Mr. D. Livingstone Learmouth, M.F.H., Duhallow, has returned from England for a short holiday.

Mr. Hal MacDermot has arrived in Dublin from County Galway.

Dr. J. Geraghty will be away from 10 Fitzwilliam square until April 1st.

Dr. W. S. Haughton has left 16 Merrion square for a week.

Dr. Pollock has left Park Drive, Cowper Gardens, Rathmines, for a fortnight.

Dr. Gilbert Wilson has left Gordon avenue, Foxrock, until April.

Doctor Dorothy Dockrell has left 30 Fitzwilliam place until Monday, 1st April.

Dr. Margaret Nicholson is away from Rathdown Park for a few days.

Mr. J. E. Willoughby is leaving 84 Harcourt street for a week.

R. H. Lambert, M.R.C.V.S., and N. H. Lambert, M.R.C.V.S., have changed residence from Highfield road to Berehaven, Castle Park, Rathfarnham. 'Phone 95190.

Switzer and Co., Ltd., wish to intimate to customers that their Restaurant is closed during Easter for re-decorating, and will re-open on next Tuesday morning. Light Luncheons, Teas and Refreshments can, however, be had in the Soda Fountain (Lower Ground Floor), which is open as usual until 1 o'clock to-day (Saturday).
Will it rain? Don't let uncertainty mar your holiday .... bring a "Switzermac," the famous Featherweight Raincoat that affords complete protection in all weathers. Made in 15 shades and obtainable only at Switzers, Grafton st. (S.B. 25s., D.B. 29s. 6d.)
Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.
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PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Among the departures were:—Mr. A. Scott, Mr. J. P. Carri, Mr. J. Creasy, Mr. F. Wilkinson, Mr. W. Cooper, Mr. T. A. Smiddy, Mr. A. Blyth, Mr. Christian, Mr. A. E. Cooper, Miss Hogg, Mr. J. A. Coutts, Mr. E. H. McDonald, Mr. A. Hardie, Mr. R. Lumb, Mr. Leahy, Mr. Leech, Mr. Power, Mr. Shegog, Miss Greensmith, Mrs. Shegog, Mrs. A. Donnelly, Miss M. O'Connor, Miss M. Norton, Mr. Heavey, Miss Hosford, Miss Robinson, Mr. Alcock, Mr. Montgomery, Mrs. Wilson.

Expert Repairs to Ladies' Shoes and other Light Footwear.—Stephens and Bourke, Ltd., 26 Stephen's Green, Dublin.
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Sharpley's, Specialists, Baby Linen, Nursery, Accouchement Sets. Price List—2 Nassau St., Dublin.

25 YEARS AGO

From the *Irish Times*, March 23, 1915.

Neutrals and the Blockade.

The proposed Note to Great Britain remonstrating against certain clauses in the British Order-in-Council, and asking for a fuller explanation of other clauses, was discussed by the Cabinet to-day, states a Washington telegram. It has become known that some of President Wilson's advisers believe that the Order will not demoralise American commerce, because what is lost in some directions will at least partly be made up in increased trade in others, particularly with the Allies.

The Dutch Government yesterday communicated to the British and French Governments its objection to their decrees relative to the economic isolation of Germany.

Hospital Ship in Dublin.

The hospital ship Valdiva arrived in Dublin yesterday with 384 wounded soldiers, 46 of whom were stretcher cases; four died at sea, and a fifth as the ship was entering port. The wounded have been distributed among the various city hospitals.

HIGH WATER AT OTHER PORTS.

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	6.12	6.41
Belfast	11. 5	11.29
Cobh	5.50	6.17
Cork	5.56	6.14
Drogheda	11.47	—
Dundalk	11.44	—
Galway	5.24	5.53
Kinsale	5.46	6. 3
Limerick	6.54	7.23
Sligo	6.18	6.41
Waterford	6.57	7.15
Westport	5.52	6.21

LONDON LETTER

GOOD FRIDAY IN THE CITY

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
FRIDAY NIGHT.

GOOD FRIDAY has been a very quiet day here, and in most places the men appeared to be spending it in their gardens. It is interesting to see how many villa lawns in the suburbs are being turned up for production of vegetables. There was a great attendance at the churches, particularly the three hours' devotion, now general in the Anglican Church, and at St. Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey there were very big congregations. The streets were quiet and the traffic on the roads was comparatively small, though in the afternoon there were many more cars running into the country. The road traffic, however, was much less heavy than is usual at holiday times. A feature of it was the great increase in the number of cyclists, chiefly young people. The West End was almost deserted until the evening, when people flocked into it for the various entertainments at cinemas and concert halls.

Railways Busy

Railway traffic yesterday was surprisingly heavy in the circumstances; on one line there were record figures. Euston was the busiest station of any, both for departures and arrivals, and throughout the day the crowds there were extraordinary. It was said that this was due to the return for the holidays of many evacuees and to the number of people leaving London to visit evacuated children and others in the country. Other main line stations, however, participated in the rush, and just as many people as usual appeared to be going to the east and south coast resorts. At Brighton ninety *per cent.* of the hotel accommodation had been booked in advance. Torquay also was a popular centre, all the trains going there being packed. More crowds are expected to travel to-morrow, and the railways are making great preparations. Some of the big munition factories closed for the Easter holiday, not only to give their workpeople a rest, but to enable machinery which has been running almost continuously at high speed a chance to cool down.

Political Changes Possible

Events in France may herald political changes here. It would cause little surprise if Mr. Chamberlain should decide upon a minor reconstruction of his Government during the Easter holidays. It is suggested that he may set up a small body of Ministers, relieved from all departmental duties, to concentrate upon matters of vital importance, with a view to reaching necessary decisions without delay. Both in London and in Paris it is recognised that there is no time to lose, and that in the near future decisions may have to be reached on the instant. It is considered not unlikely that Mr. Chamberlain may endeavour to secure members of the Opposition for his Government, but at the moment both the Labour and the Liberal leaders seem determined to hold aloof from office. In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Chamberlain was asked whether he would enlarge his choice of future Ministers by enabling Ministers sitting in either House of Parliament to speak in both, while being restricted to voting in one. He said that he had noted the suggestion. Such a change, it is said, could be brought about without the introduction of a bill into Parliament.

Taxation Prospects

Although it will be a month before Sir John Simon introduces his Budget, there is much talk already as to taxation possibilities. With another two weeks' revenue to come, the yield for the current year has exceeded the Chancellor's estimate, while expenditure is well below the estimate, so that the deficit on the year, which the Chancellor placed at £938,000,000, is likely to be considerably below that sum. There is the usual talk of probable new taxes, spirits and tobacco, in particular, being mentioned. New imposts suggested are a tax on cosmetics and on retail sales. Both have been mentioned in connection with former Budgets, but a point against their adoption is the cost and trouble of collecting the tax, while in the case of cosmetics the yield would not be great.

Lord Tavistock's Peace Effort

A little red-covered pamphlet, described as "The Fate of a Peace Effort," just published, relates the story of Lord Tavistock and his efforts to interest Lord Halifax in the peace plan which he claims to have secured through the German Legation in Dublin. It gives an account of a meeting with Lord Halifax at the Foreign Office, and of letters passing afterwards. Lord Halifax sums up his attitude towards the alleged proposals in one of these letters, when he states that, "if Herr Hitler is really sincere in desiring a negotiated peace rather than one dictated by Germany, and if he is really prepared to restore the independence of Poland and Czecho-Slovakia, he would contribute much towards restoring confidence if he were spontaneously to evacuate Polish and Czecho-Slovak territory. Neither of these States now possesses an Army, nor are they accessible to British or French Armies. Consequently, the withdrawal of German troops from them could in no conceivable way threaten the security of Germany."

Women's Pensions

More than 300,000 women probably are qualified to apply for old-age pensions when the new Act comes into operation on July 1st. The reduction of the age from sixty-five to sixty will nearly double the number of women drawing contributory old-age pensions; 326,000 women now have pensions either because of their own insurance or as wives of insured men. The new pensioners will be 150,000 insured under the Contributory Pensions Act and 160,000 married women with husbands qualified for pensions. The first payments will be made in the first week of July. On August 3 payment will be made through the Assistance Board of Supplementary Pensions to old-age pensioners and widows who can show that they are in need of further help. These changes will cost the country a great deal of money, but public opinion generally favours them, as the cost of living shows a steady rise.

Demand for Women Workers

Soon there will be a big demand for women as workers in many directions. The imminent calling up of men of the older age groups is creating many vacancies for responsible women in office work, particularly bookkeeping, while women with technical secretarial experience are also in demand, and there is room for a number of women to act as wardens of hostels and in institutions. Cooks, accustomed to work on a big scale, are being sought in all directions, while there is also a great demand for women with some knowledge of chemistry for analytical work. Numbers of women are required for munitions and field work. In the domestic world the demand for servants is likely to continue, since so many women are finding other occupations.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	7.22	7.19
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HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

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SET-BACK FOR NEW FRENCH CABINET

Vote of Confidence Gets Small Majority

GOVERNMENT WILL REMAIN IN OFFICE

"The Treachery of the Soviets"

THE new French Government formed by M. Reynaud yesterday received a severe setback at its first meeting with the Chamber to-day.

Its majority on the first vote—a vote of confidence taken on the Ministerial declaration—was only 112, with 110 abstentions. Although this is a smaller majority than that obtained by M. Daladier before his resignation on Wednesday, the Reynaud Government has decided to remain in office. The decision was reached at a Cabinet meeting, held immediately after the Chamber had adjourned until April 2nd for the Easter recess.

In the declaration the Government said that the one reason for its existence was the necessity of winning the war.

TO CRUSH COMMUNISM

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Friday.

A Council of Ministers, presided over by President Lebrun, this afternoon unanimously approved the new Government's statement of policy, which had been submitted previously to the Cabinet by M. Paul Reynaud. This declaration, which was afterwards read in the Chamber by M. Reynaud, and in the Senate by M. Chautemps, asserted that the Cabinet had only one reason for its existence—to win the war.

The statement included the following:

"France is engaged in total warfare. A powerful, organised and determined enemy is transforming all human activities into a means of warfare, and is concentrating them in order to triumph. Helped by the treachery of the Soviets, the enemy is carrying the struggle into every sphere and co-ordinating all the blows. He is striking with a kind of genius for destruction, the grandiose and hateful aspects of which we cannot fail to recognise. By its very nature in this total warfare everything is at stake.

ALL AT STAKE

"To win is to save all; to succumb is to lose all. Parliament, expressing the nation's feeling, has taken the measure of these terrible realities to their full extent. Therefore, the Government which now presents itself to you has no other reason for its existence, and desires no other, than to arouse, to muster and to direct all the strength of France to fight and win, and to crush treason from wheresoever it may come. Thanks to your confidence, and with your support, we shall accomplish this task.

"If we need a further stimulant we have only to measure the immense resources of our country and our Empire. We have only to look at our admirable allies face to face. We have only to conjure up the valour of our people, the labour of our workers and our peasants, the strength of our armies, the ardour of our soldiers and the courage of their commanders. We have only, in fact, to think of the eternal genius of France."

COOL RECEPTION

When M. Reynaud sat down after reading this declaration he was applauded, although not with any marked warmth, by the Centre and Left. The Right, who had vigorously applauded his reference to Soviet treachery, remained cold and unmoved. M. Reynaud asked for an immediate discussion of two interpellations by Radical-Socialists on the composition of the Cabinet, general policy, and the conduct of the war.

Earlier in the day M. Louis Marin's extreme Rightist Republican Federation and M Pierre Flandin's Rightist Republican Alliance had both intimated that they would not support the new Government.

M. Louis Marin, leader of the chief Conservative group, who controls about 60 votes, announced in the Chamber that his party would vote unanimously against the Government.

M. Calimand, a Radical-Socialist deputy, bitterly criticised the Reynaud Government, saying: "France has been awaiting a war Cabinet, but is offered a dose of medicine instead." He said that he feared that "M. Daladier had been the object of revenge on the part of the Socialist Party, whose errors he had redressed." It was noted that at this stage of the debate M. Daladier himself was absent from the Chamber.

Replying to the debate in the Chamber, M. Reynaud said:—"The security of the nation formerly depended on its army; to-day it depends on the entire nation. There were mistakes made in the last war which we shall not repeat. M. Daladier has proved his ability to be economical in human lives. (Applause.) What we owe to the nation is to develop the most modern weapons of war. Regarding foreign policy, I can confine myself to the declaration made in the secret session by M. Daladier.

"WE SHALL CRUSH THEM"

"It would be a crime in war-time to allow prejudices against individuals to come into play. Anything we may have thought or said in the past no longer counts." This was an allusion to the right wing objection to the inclusion of the Socialist member, M. Monnet, in the Cabinet. "Our only principle in foreign policy is to reply to friendship with friendship, to enmity with enmity.

"The Ministerial declaration was couched in frank terms. We shall not neglect any effort to make workmen understand that if we are fighting Communism it is not because of its extreme left wing doctrine, but because we are fighting an organisation of treason. The Communists have worked against the country—we shall crush them." (Applause.)

"It is a fact of the highest importance," he said, "that since the beginning of the year internal State expenditure of all kinds, civil and military, has been covered by tax revenue or loans.

"Liberty," he said, "represents France's most precious heritage. We are with Britain in the camp of freedom. We desire other nations to adhere to the Franco-British *bloc* and reply to a question put to me by saying that the Franco-British agreement does not obliterate our sense of Latin solidarity."

He answered criticism against the inclusion of Socialists in his Cabinet by paying tribute to the patriotism of members of the Socialist Party, and asserting that it was necessary to obtain the collaboration of all, especially the largest party in the Chamber, in order to solve the problems arising out of the war.

"By the vote which you are about to cast you are taking a heavy responsibility regarding foreign countries. This war puts democracy on trial with set jaws, for we have the will to win and the certitude of victory."

SMALL MAJORITY

A vote of confidence in the new Government was then taken, resulting in 268 for M. Reynaud to 156 votes against. There were 110 abstentions. The Government thus gained a majority of 112.

Despite the severe set-back received as a result of the Chamber vote, it is stated that the Government will remain in office. After the first flush of enthusiasm yesterday at the speedy formation of the new Government on a wider parliamentary basis rumblings of discontent were heard in political circles. Many Radicals were dissatisfied with the changes made, while the Right Wing was furious at the inclusion of Socialists. The Socialists alone were really pleased.

One of the reasons for the adverse vote is that M. Reynaud tried to do too much. When the country was looking for a strong Government, bent on winning the war, he produced a Government according to the old party formula. His Government, though on a wider basis than M. Daladier's, was not wide enough to be a real all-party Government, while the inclusion of the Socialists estranged the Right. The device of the inner war Cabinet was welcomed, but was countered by the fact that the number of Ministers was increased from 27 to 35 at a time when both the Press and the public was demanding a smaller and more efficient Ministry.

After the vote had been taken the Chamber closed its session and fixed its next meeting for April 2nd.

WILL NOT RESIGN

After the Cabinet meeting the following *communique* was issued:—

"All Ministers assured the President of the Council, M. Reynaud, of their loyal collaboration. Under these conditions the head of the Government decided that in the present grave situation it was the duty of the Cabinet, which obtained an absolute majority in the Chamber vote, to remain at its post. The War Committee will meet to-morrow morning."—(Associated Press.)

DROWNED IN LOUGH SWILLY

YOUTH WHO WENT TO RESCUE FRIENDS

SMALL HOME-MADE CRAFT UPSET

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDONDERRY, Friday.

JAMES PORTER, 19 years old son of the late H. W. Porter and of Mrs. Porter, Victoria Park, Buncrana, was drowned in Lough Swilly this evening while attempting to save the lives of two young friends.

His friends—Thomas C. Swan, aged fifteen years, and Henry P. Swan, aged twelve years, sons of J. K. Swan, partner in a Buncrana flour-milling concern—were rescued later after they had watched him struggle in a powerful current of water and then disappear.

Taking advantage of the Easter holidays Porter and the brothers Swan had gone out on the lough in a small craft built by Thomas Swan. They had been out for about an hour, and were changing seats, when the craft capsized. All three were thrown into the water. Porter immediately made for the Carrowcullion rocks, some distance away.

CARRIED BY CURRENT

After clinging to the rocks for about fifteen minutes he saw the other youths get a position about twenty-five yards away on the same reef. Seeing that as they were on a flat rock which would be completely submerged when the tide rose, he shouted to them to swim across the break in the rocks to where he had secured a better hold. The boys shouted that they were all right, but Porter, seeing their danger, attempted to cross the stretch of water.

As he entered the water he was swept away by a powerful current, and the Swan boys saw him struggle helplessly for three-quarters of an hour and then disappear.

Golfers on the North-West Club course at Lisfannon, about three-quarters of a mile away, hearing sounds from the direction of the rocks, telephoned to Buncrana. A message was conveyed to Fahan pier, where an excursion party was leaving the harbour. The party's boat dashed to where the Swan boys were, and found them standing on the flat rock with water up to their knees. In another fifteen minutes the boys would have been submerged.

Dr. J. McCormack, who was playing golf, said that he never would have known of anything being wrong if the day had not been so clear.

Thomas Swan said that their feet were numb with standing in the water. Young Billy McCormack, son of Dr. McCormack, kept shouting to them from the shore, and this inspired them to keep their hold on the rocks. "The boat arrived just as we were giving up," said Swan.

The deceased youth assisted his elder brother in the management of their mother's shirt and collar factory at Castlefin. He recently left Campbell College, Belfast.

QUIET ON WESTERN FRONT

GERMAN PATROLS ACTIVE

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

PARIS, Friday.

The past twenty-four hours have been very quiet on the Western front, apart from the sector immediately east and west of the River Sarre. Here German patrols have been more active than usual. Several of them advanced close up to the French posts, but were repelled without difficulty.

There was some firing from casemates on both sides of the Rhine.

The sky was dull and cloudy, and air activity was limited to one or two reconnaissance flights on either side.

The French *communiqué* has nothing to report.

MOUSE SET FIRE TO DUBLIN CATHEDRAL

St. Patrick's Damaged

NINE STALLS DESTROYED

A MOUSE was responsible for the destruction of a part of the choir and several banners of the Knights of St. Patrick in a fire at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, yesterday morning.

The mouse caused a short circuit in the electric wiring system, which apparently fused in the vicinity of the Dean's Stall and started a fire among the other oaken stalls of the Canons of the Cathedral. Later, when the fire had been extinguished, the body of the mouse was found among the wreckage.

The Dean's Stall, eight of the Canons' Stalls, and some old music—part of which is irreplaceable, together with seven banners which hung above the stalls—were completely destroyed. The stone fabric of the cathedral was undamaged, except for a slight crumbling of ornamentation by the Dean's Stall, and a small amount of mortar which was dislodged from the ceiling owing to the heat.

VERGER'S DISCOVERY

Mr. Sydney Taft, a verger, discovered the fire when he went to enter the cathedral shortly before 9.30 a.m. to prepare for Matins. He attempted to open a small door on the south side—near the choir—but the heavy smoke forced him back. He immediately called the Fire Brigade, and two sections from the Central Station and Rathmines turned out. As it was impossible to enter the smoke-filled cathedral through the side door, a window had to be broken at the west end of the building. Firemen ran their first-aid hoses into the cathedral, and found the stalls on the Decani (south) side of the choir, inwards towards the altar, on fire.

These stalls are only a short distance from the pulpit, which was used by Dean Swift, and on the opposite side to the famous Willis organ.

In a short time the fire was under control, but it was impossible to save most of the stalls or the music, which was stored in a press behind them. Among the banners destroyed was that of Queen Victoria.

As soon as the firemen had left the building a corps of cleaners was mobilised, and by mid-afternoon the cathedral had been completely cleaned up. A few of the Canons' Stalls at the end of the choir nearest the altar were not badly damaged, and it is probable that these will be refitted; these stalls, like those which were destroyed, still have the armorial bearings of the Knights of St. Patrick painted on them.

The destroyed banners have hung in the cathedral since about 1870, and there is only one Knight still living whose banner is among those around the walls—the Duke of Connaught.

Dr. G. H. P. Hewson, the cathedral organist, tested the organ later in the morning, and the Dean of St. Patrick's (the Very Rev. David F. R. Wilson) said that it was believed that the organ was unharmed except from the effects of the heat on some of the more delicate stops.

SERVICES TO-MORROW

The Dean cancelled the Services for the day and for to-day, but said that the cathedral would be open for Services as usual on to-morrow, Easter Sunday. It was intended that the Easter music from the "Messiah" should be sung at the Festival Evensong, but owing to the destruction of choir books in the fire some changes may be necessary.

"The Cathedral and Collegiate Church of St. Patrick, Dublin"—the official name for St. Patrick's—is the National Cathedral of the Church of Ireland. It was founded in 1191, and the architectural style is chiefly early English; but its square tower is fourteenth century, and the spire is an eighteenth century addition. Among the interesting monuments within the cathedral is the grave of Dean Swift, and memorials to Duke Schomberg, who fell at the Battle of the Boyne; John Philpott Curran, Turlogh O'Carolan, the last of the Irish bards, and Samuel Lover, the novelist and poet. The cathedral suffered from neglect for many years, but it was partially restored with funds provided by Sir Benjamin Lee Guinness, Bart., M.P., in 1863; forty years later his son, Lord Iveagh, K.P., gave funds to complete the work.

EXAMINING the damaged interior of St. Patrick's Cathedral after the fire.

SEVEN NEUTRAL SHIPS TORPEDOED

FORTY-SIX LIVES LOST

SIX DANISH VESSELS SUNK

GERMAN U-boats have sunk seven neutral vessels—at least, four off the East Coast of Scotland. One Danish ship, with flag brilliantly lit up, was torpedoed in the Atlantic, five people, including a woman, losing their lives. In all, forty-six neutral citizens have been killed.

The seven neutral ships are:—

Bothal—Danish, 2,109 tons.
Viking—Danish, 1,153 tons.
Christiansborg—Danish, 1,929 tons.
Minsk—Danish, 1,229 tons.
Algier—Danish, 1,654 tons.
Svinta—Norwegian, 1,267 tons.
Charkov—Danish, 1,026 tons.

The last-named ship disappeared near the Minsk, so it is almost certain that she fell a victim to the same U-boat.

The Bothal, Viking, Minsk and Charkov were all sunk off the east coast of Scotland.

The Viking was torpedoed while going to the rescue of the Bothal, and 30 men are missing from the two ships. The Svinta—sunk on Thursday—was damaged during Wednesday's German raid on shipping, when three Norwegian seamen lost their lives during an attack on a convoy off the North-east Scottish coast. They were members of the Norwegian steamer Torra Elise (721 tons).

The British steamer Barnhill (5,439 tons) was bombed by a German war 'plane off the south coast of England on Wednesday night, four of her crew being killed and one dying later. The Barnhill was set ablaze, but the fire was later extinguished, and the ship is now safe.

DANISH FLAG LIT UP

The Danish motor ship Algier (1,654 tons), sunk in the Atlantic with the loss of four men and a woman passenger, was displaying all her sailing lights, and the Danish ensign painted on either side and brightly illuminated, when she was torpedoed by a U-boat without warning.

Twenty survivors—19 men and one stewardess—who had to jump into the sea, drifted in a lifeboat for ten and a half hours before being picked up and taken to a North British port, where they arrived on Thursday.

The Algier was on her way from New York to Oslo with general cargo.

MINED TANKER SALVAGED

The 8,000-ton Dutch oil tanker Phobos, which was mined off the south-east coast of England on Wednesday, was yesterday towed into port by salvage tugs. It was at first feared that she would sink, and her crew were landed by lifeboat.

ELEVEN MEN MISSING

Eleven members of the crew of the Minsk, a Danish steamer, of 1,229 tons, are missing and nine were landed at a Scottish port when the ship was sunk by a U-boat off the north-east coast of Scotland on Tuesday.

The survivors had been adrift in a small boat 36 hours before being rescued by a British warship. Five are injured. The Minsk was steaming with all lights on when an explosion occurred, and she sank within a few minutes. It is believed the explosion was caused by a torpedo.

BRITISH STEAMER BOMBED

Flying so low that one of the crew thought she was British, a German war-plane bombed and set on fire the British cargo ship Barnhill (5,439 tons) on Wednesday night. Four of the crew were killed, and a fifth died later in hospital. The fire was extinguished, and the Barnhill is now safe. Her master captain, M. O'Neill, of Liverpool is in hospital with a fractured shoulder and shock

Chief Officer Rothwell, Third Officer Stewart, Chief Steward Adams, and Ordinary Seaman Housman were killed outright. Second Engineer D. Bertram, a London man, died in hospital.

The 'plane dropped three bombs, scoring a direct hit with the last.

30 MISSING FROM TWO DANISH SHIPS

Seeing the 2,109 tons Danish steamer Bothal sinking off the north-east coast of Scotland on Wednesday morning, the Viking (1,153 tons), also Danish, went to her aid. A few minutes later she herself was the sinking victim of the U-boat which torpedoed the Bothal. Thirty men are missing from the two ships, five of the Bothal's crew of twenty being rescued and two of the Viking's crew of seventeen.

A Royal Air Force 'plane spotted the seven survivors on two rafts, and they were brought ashore by a north-east coast lifeboat after drifting twenty hours.

The paratyphoid epidemic in Glasgow, which has added another nineteen cases to its number, is beginning to puzzle public health doctors in the city, who are trying to track down its source. The number of cases now totals a little over 200, and they are scattered throughout the city.

GERMAN SHIP SUNK

FIRST BRITISH SUBMARINE VICTIM

The British Admiralty announced yesterday that on Thursday night a British submarine intercepted and sank the German merchantman Heddernheim (4,947 tons), eight miles off the coast of Denmark. The crew was rescued.

Copenhagen reports state that the ship was torpedoed at 11.15 p.m. in the Kattegat, 15 miles east of Frederikshaven.

The first engineer, it is said, was taken on board the submarine, and the rest of the crew, numbering 35, who had taken to the vessel's lifeboats, were picked up by the coastguard cutter Skagen.

It is believed that this is the first German steamer to be torpedoed in this war.

A Copenhagen telegram from the German official News Agency's correspondent confirms the torpedoing of the steamer.

60 GERMAN CAPTIVES LANDED

Sixty officers and men belonging to a German ship were landed at a Scottish port yesterday.

They included eleven officers and 49 seamen.

They arrived in an armed merchant cruiser and came ashore under a naval escort. On the quay side they were taken over by a military guard and transferred to a special train to be conveyed to an internment camp on the east coast of Scotland.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.)

THE CHANGE IN FRANCE

In a leading article *The Times* remarks to-day:—M. Reynaud, called upon to succeed M. Daladier, has been able to form a new Government with the most welcome speed. Strengthened by the inclusion of several Socialists, this Government has a broader basis of support than its predecessor, though its reception in the Chamber yesterday was not encouraging. It contains a strong leavening from the last Cabinet. The new Government has been formed in response to a widespread national demand, expressed both by the Senate and by the Chamber of Deputies, for a more active prosecution of the war; but the aims and objects of French policy remain unchanged, as does the cordial and intimate co-operation with Great Britain. M. Reynaud is no stranger to British Ministers, who will be able to give him the same complete confidence which they gave his predecessor.

Discontent with what was felt to be the too passive conduct of the war was, of course, brought to a head by the set-back in Finland. Confidence was generally expressed in M. Daladier, but he was urged from all sides to form a Government which would not be content to sit quietly waiting to see where Hitler would strike next, and then proceed to discuss how it could best parry the blow, diplomatic or military, but one which, alive and alert, would seize every opportunity, would even seek to make opportunities to anticipate his attacks by striking shrewd blows themselves. It was felt that the existing Government had shown itself incapable of any such initiative, and that a change was essential, since obviously the war could not be won by clinging to methods of passive resistance.

No one can doubt, adds *The Times*, that the new Prime Minister possesses the decision, the energy and the imagination needed to carry out the policy laid down by the Chamber, to take immediately and in all spheres the measures essential to develop to the utmost the might of France, and in accord with our Allies to carry on the war imposed upon us until victory has been achieved. His judgment has been amply proved by the way in which all his unpleasant warnings of the past few years, neglected at the time, were afterwards justified by the event, and, perhaps, even more by the success with which he retrieved an apparently desperate financial and economic position after he took over the Ministry of Finance. He trusted the country to respond to his call for work and sacrifice, and by this trust he restored the nation's own confidence in its powers of recuperation. As Prime Minister he should be able to give the same inspiring leadership over the whole field of the war. He is not likely to forget that impatience can be a bad counsellor, that wars can be lost, as Mr. Stanley pointed out in an admirable speech on Wednesday, by doing foolish and reckless things, just for the sake of doing something, but he can be trusted to seize without vacillation or delay every opportunity which presents itself for energetic and determined action.

DUBLIN'S NEW HOSPITAL

To Replace Three Institutions

POWERS TAKEN IN GOVERNMENT BILL

THE text of the bill which provides for the first step in carrying out the Government's plans for the improved hospitalisation of Dublin has now been circulated to deputies. The bill is divided into six parts, including in all forty-three sections.

These provide for the acquisition by the Minister for Local Government, of land for the new hospital, which is to be known as Saint Laurence O'Toole Hospital. The land may be acquired compulsorily if necessary.

TRANSFER OF STAFFS

The new institution will have a Board of Governors, but its constitution is not outlined in the bill. This will be done in an Order to be made subsequently by the Minister.

Provision is made for the transfer of existing staffs of the House of Industry Hospitals, commonly known as the Richmond, Whitworth and Hardwicke Hospitals, to the Board of the new institution; the dissolution of the existing Board of Governors, and the transfer of certain lands and moneys to the new Board.

The full title of the bill states that it is intended to provide "for the establishment, in or near the City of Dublin, of a new general hospital, to be called the Saint Laurence O'Toole Hospital, in place of the House of Industry Hospitals in the said city, and for the closing of the said House of Industry Hospitals." For this purpose the Minister may acquire land for the new building, as well as for subsequent extensions. This may be done compulsorily after certain conditions have been observed, and, if the Minister thinks it necessary, a public inquiry.

THE NEW BOARD

When a site has been secured the Minister shall certify such acquisition, and make an Order appointing the "establishment date," which shall be not earlier than forty days after the date of the making of the Order. On the establishment date there shall be established a Board, to be known as "The Board of Governors of the Saint Laurence O'Toole Hospital," which will be a corporate body with an official seal.

In an Order to be made before the "establishment date," the Minister shall prescribe the number of members of the Board, method of appointment, term of office, resignation and disqualification, and the plan for filling casual vacancies. The Minister is being given power, if he thinks fit, to divide the members of the Board into classes, and to make different provisions in respect of each class.

BOARD'S POWERS

The Minister will fix the date of the first meeting of the Board. At its annual meeting it will elect a Chairman and Vice-Chairman. At the election of Chairman, in the event of an equality of votes, the election may be made by lot. Three members shall constitute a quorum.

The Board will have powers of appointment and dismissal of officers and servants, including those transferred to the Board by the bill, subject in certain instances to the approval of the Minister.

A pension scheme is to be provided, subject to the approval of the Minister, for officers and servants.

An auditor's report on the annual statement of accounts shall be submitted to the Minister. The Board may accept endowments for any purposes connected with the hospital.

The existing Board shall afford to the Board office accommodation and such clerical assistance as may be required for the discharge of its functions.

HOSPITAL SCHEME

After its first meeting the Board shall submit to the Minister its scheme for the erection of the new hospital with plans and specifications. This may be approved or modified by the Minister. It is provided that the scheme shall provide accommodation for the staff. When approved the Board will proceed at once with the erection and equipment of the building. Grants for the purpose will be made from time to time by the Minister from the Hospitals' Trust Fund.

On the "establishment date" the existing governing body shall pay to the Board a sum equal to the moneys paid to the existing body under the Public Charitable Hospitals' Acts, 1930 to 1932, less any part actually expended, and this may be done in cash, by transfer of securities, or part in cash and securities. These moneys will be used for the purpose of defraying expenses of the scheme and the erection and equipment of the new hospital.

THE TRANSFER DATE

When the hospital has been erected and equipped, the Minister will appoint a day for the reception of patients, and also a closing date for the existing hospitals. On the transfer date the existing governing body shall be dissolved and cease to exist. On this date also the property of the existing governing body shall be transferred to the Board. Provision is also made in respect of lands held for the purpose of the existing hospitals. Liabilities of the existing body, including superannuation granted to an officer or servant, will be payable by the Board.

Every person who on the transfer date was an officer or servant of the existing governing body shall immediately be transferred to, and become an officer or servant of the Board and perform analogous duties, but the Board may re-arrange duties which the transferred persons shall be obliged to perform. No transferred person shall receive less remuneration or be subject to less beneficial conditions.

On and after the transfer date, and until the existing hospitals shall be closed, the Board shall manage the existing hospitals. From the transfer date no patients shall be received into the existing hospitals, and the Board will, as soon as may be, remove patients from the Hardwicke Fever Hospital to the Dublin Fever Hospital, and from the remainder of the existing hospitals to the new hospital. With the approval of the Minister portion of the existing hospitals may be used for the treatment of out-patients of the new hospital

SHARP NOTE TO RUMANIA

German Anger at Trade Laws

GOVERNMENT MAY RESIGN

A NOTE, couched in the most extreme terms, has been presented by Germany to the Rumanian Government, stating that Germany "cannot tolerate the continued changes in Rumania's foreign trade regulations and foreign currency system."

German circles expect the Rumanian Government to resign.

The Note was handed over by Dr. Clodious, Reich trade expert, whose periodic visits to Bucharest in the last few months have usually meant an intensification of German demands on King Carol, who has stood out against the more extreme ones. Rumania is guaranteed by Britain against aggression.

Berlin was last night full of rumours of Hitler's Easter surprise promised to change the entire situation in three months. Many sources discredited the idea that this would be an attack on Britain, preferring to think it had some connection with the Brenner Pass meeting of Hitler and Mussolini.

ALMOST AN ULTIMATUM

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL

BUCHAREST, Friday.

Germany has presented a Note to Rumania amounting almost to an ultimatum, according to circles close to the German Legation here. The Note makes a sharp attack on M. Christu, the new Rumanian Minister of Foreign Trade—an office created by Royal decree in the middle of last month—for his part in shaping Rumania's recent economic policy. Before his appointment M. Christu had been head of the Economic Department of the Foreign Ministry since 1934. It is suggested that the Note may lead to the resignation of M. Tatarescu's Government. In that case German circles hope that a new Government will be formed under M. Vaida-Voevod.

M. Vaida-Voevod, whom the Germans feel would be more ready to listen to them than M. Tatarescu, has already been several times Prime Minister of Rumania. He is at present nominal head of the National Rebirth Front, King Carol's monopolist political organisation, formed after the party system was suspended two years ago. He was Prime Minister for four months in 1919, for a few months in 1932, and again in 1933. In his younger days he was an ardent worker for the detachment of Transylvania—where he was born—from the Austro-Hungarian Empire. When this was finally achieved in 1918 he played an important part in the reorganisation of the province under the Rumanian Crown.

MOLOTOFF IN BERLIN

Molotoff, the Soviet Premier and Foreign Commissar, is to arrive in Berlin to-day, states Rome radio. He is accompanied by numerous diplomatic and military advisers, and will stay in Berlin for two days.

PEACE PACT IN FORCE

A New Finnish Cabinet Soon

RUSSIANS TAKE OVER HANGO

PRESIDENT KALLIO yesterday decreed that the new Russo-Finnish Peace Treaty was in force, following the exchange of ratification documents in Moscow. Four Finnish representatives were named to take part in the joint Commission which will work out details of the new frontier between Finland and the Soviet Union.

ASSOCIATED PRESS.

HELSINKI, Friday.

Reports published in Stockholm that Moscow had imposed new demands on the Finns, who had been forced to yield to them, were denied officially here. These reports said the Russians were pressing for the frontier to be moved further west than originally stipulated in the peace treaty.

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL

HELSINKI, Friday.

The formation of a new Cabinet to deal with the problems arising out of the Soviet-Finnish peace treaty is expected immediately after Easter.

According to the *Uusi Suomi*, M. Ryti, the Prime Minister, will retain his post, and many other members of his Cabinet are likely to return to office. Exceptions are N. Niukkanen, Minister of Defence, and M. Hannula, Minister of Education, whose resignations will probably be accepted. It is generally understood that M. Paasikivi, Minister without portfolio, and M. von Fieandt, Minister of Home Supplies, also wish to be released. A decree imposing a general embargo on exports, except under licence, was issued here to-day.

About 20 Soviet officials arrived in Hango by air at 1 p.m. to-day. They were received by the Finnish authorities, who will perform the handing-over ceremony after midnight to-night. The Russians drove around Hango and Lappvik on a tour of inspection. They expressed the hope that Finnish technicians would maintain light, water and food supplies until the gradual process of installation was complete.

Field-Marshal Mannerheim, himself a Hango citizen, has addressed a special message of sympathy to his townsfolk. It is understood that midnight will find the Soviet also occupying the entire territory ceded in the East of Finland.

The loss of Hango is still considered the bitterest blow that the country has suffered. With it goes the strongly-fortified island of Russaro, placing Russia in a very strong strategic position.

Policemen going into an amusement saloon at Poplar, London, saw a woman play a game called skillboard and receive a pound of sugar as a prize. This was stated at Thames Court on Thursday last, when a summons for supplying sugar without a coupon against Maurice Mercado (22), of Amhurst Court, Stoke Newington, was dismissed.

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PURCHASE AND DELIVERY

THE OWNERSHIP OF A COW

IMPORTANT POINT RAISED IN KILKENNY CASE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

KILKENNY, Friday.

A very important point of view of what was stated to be the invariable custom, at least locally, was raised during the hearing of a case heard by District Justice O'Shea at Kilkenny District Court.

The point of issue was whether ownership of a cow bought and paid for by cheque passed from seller to purchaser before the animal was actually delivered to the purchaser. The cow, which formed the subject of the action, died some days after being purchased and paid for by a cheque, which was cancelled by the purchaser on his learning of the death of the animal at the seller's premises.

The plaintiff was John V. Proctor, farmer, Ballyhemmon, Castlecomer, and the defendant was John Drennan, cattle dealer, of Byrnesgrove, Ballyraggett.

Proctor stated that on Wednesday, January 17th, of this year Drennan purchased a cow from him at his premises, for which he paid by cheque £22. Drennan asked him to keep the cow until the following Monday, and plaintiff agreed to do so to oblige him.

Cross-examined, plaintiff said it was a condition of sale that the animal was to be delivered to the purchaser. On the evening of the sale plaintiff went to hospital, where he remained for two weeks. On the following Monday morning the cow got sick, and plaintiff's brother, who was managing the farm for him, sent a telegram to defendant informing him that the cow was sick and unable to travel. The cow was never delivered to defendant, as she died from inflammation of the stomach.

Mr. J. J. O'Hanrahan, solicitor (for defendant)—Do you know the veterinary surgeon attributes the death of the cow to her being allowed to eat frosty grass and drink frosty water?

Plaintiff—No.

William Proctor, plaintiff's brother, gave evidence that the cow was being fed on mangolds and crushed oats.

Replying to Mr. O'Hanrahan, witness said the cow was to be delivered at defendant's place. The mangolds might have been a little frosty, but they were also given to other cattle.

THE DEFENCE

The defendant said the cow was to be delivered at his house; any cattle he bought were always delivered to him.

Martin Gibbons, farmer and extensive cattle raiser, stated it was the invariable custom for cattle to be paid for at the time of purchase, but it was always a condition of the sale that the cattle were to be delivered to the purchaser. It was a common practice for sellers to keep cattle for a reasonable time after purchase, but the condition as to delivery remained.

Similar evidence was given by James Gannon and Edward McEvoy.

Alfred E. Brandon, V.S., Abbeyleix, stated that the cow had convulsions, due to inflammation of the stomach brought about by eating food she was unable to digest. It might be due to frosty mangolds. The weather was extremely frosty at the time, and he would not like to let out a cow during that period that had only calved some days previously.

The Justice said he would have to look into the case carefully, and deferred his decision to the next Court.

The decision is awaited with much interest by local cattle dealers.

CLARE MENTAL HOSPITAL

APPOINTMENT AGAIN DEFERRED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNIS, Thursday.

The appointment of a permanent land steward at the Clare Mental Hospital, which has been deferred by the Committee of Management on one pretext or another for the past three years, was further discussed at a special meeting of the committee yesterday, and again adjourned.

The committee had requested the Local Appointments Commissioners to answer certain questions on the method of making the appointment, and they were informed in reply that Mr. P. Moloney, assistant land steward, Ballyhaise Agricultural School, Cavan, who had been recommended for the appointment, was the best qualified of ten candidates who had been interviewed.

Mr. L. Houlihan, solicitor, who appeared on behalf of Mr. J. Tierney, a local man, who is acting as temporary land steward, said that three weeks ago he had written to the Commissioners asking had the law been complied with when they were making the recommendation for an appointment. He had received a letter from the secretary to the Commissioners, stating that he would bring the matter before them, and that they would communicate with him again in due course. Since then he had heard nothing from the Commissioners.

Mr. G. Burke said that the only thing that the Committee could do was to give Mr. Houlihan plenty of time to fight the Commissioners again, and he hoped Mr. Houlihan would be as successful as he had been on the last occasion, when he upset the *mandamus* order.

Mr. P. Moloney, solicitor to the committee, said that the members were bound to appoint the person recommended.

Mr. J. P. Hughes observed that the committee was not refusing to make the appointment, but was just seeking further knowledge in the matter.

The Committee adjourned the appointment "pending a definite statement from the Local Government Department that the person recommended for appointment had been selected in accordance with the strict legal method."

THREAT TO A RECTOR

WOMAN CHARGED AT DRIMOLEAGUE

"LETTER SENT FOR HIS GOOD"

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

SKIBBEREEN, Friday.

MRS. SARAH J. MOXLEY, Cloddagh, Drimoleague, was at the Drimoleague Court to-day charged on two counts with having on December 13th last intimidated the Rev. James Camier, Rector of Drimoleague, by sending him a letter threatening to have him shot if he did not leave the village.

Superintendent James O'Gara, Skibbereen, read a letter stated to have been received by the Rev. J. Camier, which stated: "Take my advice and go. You will be shot and the rectory burned. Toys are gone, hall is gone, and you will be gone at Christmas."

WOMAN'S STATEMENT

Sergeant P. Murphy read a statement said to have been made by the accused woman, in which she admitted sending the letter, and stated she was a cousin of the Rev. Mr. Camier. She had thought that an incident like what had happened earlier that year might be repeated, and she had sent the letter as a warning notice. She had done it for his good, and intended no harm.

Sergeant Murphy added that a series of incidents had occurred in Drimoleague last year. In consequence of the letter an armed guard had been placed at the rectory for five weeks.

APOLOGY OFFERED

Mr. J. T. Wolfe, solicitor, for the accused woman, said that she had tried to give the rector a tip coming on the anniversary of the incidents mentioned. She would express an apology for what she did.

She was bound to the peace for twelve months on one count, informations being refused on the second count.

"DECREASE IN PIG PRODUCTION"

A CORRECTION

In the report of the annual general meeting of the members of the Roscrea Bacon Factory, Ltd., which appeared in our issue of February 24th, the president, Mr. J. T. C. Willington was erroneously reported as stating that maize meal was being retailed in England at £3 to £5 a ton, while the same commodity in Eire cost £12 a ton.

What Mr. Willington really did say was: "In the daily Press of February 22nd maize (not maize meal) was quoted in London at £8 per ton ex-store, and I cannot see why maize meal was costing £12 in Eire." Mr. Willington was stressing the bad effect of maize meal mixture, which the Government enforced and which had greatly reduced the pig production in Eire.

CASE OF CAPTAIN ULLMAN

MR. H. S. MORRISON'S STATEMENT

In the British House of Commons on Thursday last, Mr. H. S. Morrison (Labour) made a personal statement regarding a question which he put to Mr. Burgin, Minister of Supply, on Wednesday, concerning Captain Ullman. Mr. Morrison said that Mr. Burgin had desired that he should produce the witnesses who gave him the information. When he gave the Minister the information about Captain Ullman and the visiting card he told him that the people who had given him the information had told him that they could not be brought into the matter, for economic reasons or probably victimisation, one way or another. It is a common experience in such cases, he added, and I have to respect the conditions under which the information was given to me. He would, of course, make further inquiries and see his informants again. If it was possible for them to change their minds nobody would be more pleased than he.

FERMANAGH SHOW

NOT TO BE HELD THIS YEAR

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

ENNISKILLEN, Friday.

Lord Belmore at the annual meeting of Fermanagh Farming Society to-day suggested that the usual cattle show be held this year.

The meeting agreed to abandon the show, but to hold horse-jumping competitions, the final decision in the matter being left to the Management Committee.

Sir Edward Archdale was re-elected President, with Major Nixon Chairman.

A profit of £47 7s. 5d. shown on the year's working converted a debit balance of £27 3s. 5d. into a credit of £20 3s. 11d.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Wicklow County Rate.—The Wicklow County Council, at its meeting on Thursday, adopted a rate of 12s. 5d. in the £—a reduction on the previous figure arrived at of 3d. in the £.

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Compensation for Injury.—Arising out of an injury to his right hand while in the employment of Francois Cementation Company, Poulaphouca, Peter Donoghue, Robertstown, County Kildare, was awarded 30s. a week compensation at the Naas Circuit Court.

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Ennis Free Milk Scheme.—Under the scheme for supplying free milk to necessitous schoolchildren, the Ennis Urban Council has accepted a tender for supplying 70 quarts of fresh milk daily at 3½d. per quart. A Government grant of £261 is available for the operation of this scheme.

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Cork Murder Charge.—A further formal remand was granted at Cork District Court on Thursday in the case against Private James Fennell, charged with the murder of Sergeant Stephen Ryan arising out of the shooting incident at Collins Barracks, Cork, on Sunday, February 11th.

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Sudden Death in Armagh.—The death took place suddenly at his residence, Railway street, Armagh, of Mr. William John McKernan (75), newsagent and confectioner. Mr. McKernan had a heart attack in the morning from which he recovered, but shortly afterwards succumbed to a second attack.

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Body Taken from the Sea.—The body of a man in an advanced state of decomposition, and devoid of clothing, was recovered from the sea near Dingle yesterday. A lifeboat was found smashed on the rocks near Ventry, a few miles from Dingle, and it is thought that the body may have been that of a sailor.

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New Lurgan Rector.—At a meeting of the Board of Nomination for the Parish of Shankill, Lurgan, the Bishop (Right Rev. Dr. MacNeice) presiding, the Rev. William James Gransden, M.A., Rector of the Parish of St. Mary Magdalene, Belfast, was elected incumbent, in succession to the Ven. A. G. Hannon, M.A., who recently resigned.

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Pensioner's Death Fall.—A verdict of death from hypostatic pneumonia, following a fracture of the thigh, was recorded at an inquest in Cork on Thursday on Bartholomew Duggan, Raheen, Ballinhassig, an old-age pensioner, who, it was stated, sustained a fall in his home on March 7th, and died in Cork County Home on March 19th.

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No Food Shortage.—Warrenpoint Urban Urban Council have decided to write to the Ulster Tourist Develepment Association asking them to make it known to residents in Eire that there was no scarcity of food in Northern Ireland, and that there would be ample supplies for all tourists holidaying there.

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Railway's Claim in Kildare.—At the meeting of the Kildare County Council a letter was received from the Great Southern Railway stating that unless £15,333 refund of rates alleged to be paid in excess for the last three years was remitted within a month legal proceedings would be taken for the recovery of that amount. The secretary said that counsel's opinion was being sought.

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Easter Visitors at Rosslare.—Several hundred cross-Channel visitors arrived at Rosslare Harbour on Thursday from Fishguard for the Easter holidays, and an extra boat was placed on the service. Most of the visitors left by rail for the South and West. Hotel proprietors in Rosslare Harbour and Rosslare Strand report good bookings for Easter.

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Ten Minutes' Strike.—The Lord Mayor (Mr. J. Hickey, T.D.) yesterday announced that the dispute which caused a lightning strike on Cork City 'bus services, lasting about ten minutes, on Thursday evening has been satisfactorily settled. The Lord Mayor added that the Great Southern Railways had consented to give special payment for work on St. Patrick's Day and also to give time and one-quarter for working on the bank holiday.

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Wanted Liquor for Nothing.—When Martin Faulkiner, of no fixed abode, arrived in Kildysert, Co. Clare, he got drunk and then commenced to demand from publicans liquor for which he was not prepared to pay. Guard Fitzgerald, after some trouble, succeeded in bringing him to the barrack. At Kildysert Court District Justice Gleeson fined him 7s. 6d. and warned him that prison would be the penalty for the next offence.

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Shop-Workers' Demands.—The Ennis branch of the Irish Union of Distributive Workers and Clerks, which organisation embraces shop assistants, has served a demand for improved conditions of employment on the employers. The demand includes increased rates of remuneration. The rates demanded range from £2 5s. per week for males and 37s. 6d. for females, with four years' experience, to £3 10s. and £3 5s. for ten years' experience and over. In addition, a request is made for twelve days' holiday with pay.

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Doctor's Desk Rifled.—At a special meeting of the Clare Mental Hospital Committee on Wednesday last, Dr. R. D. Brennan, Resident Medical Superintendent, said that he regretted to report that during his absence from the institution a desk in the boardroom, in which he kept official papers, keys, etc., had been broken open and rifled. This was the second occasion on which his desk had been tampered with during his absence. The Committee felt that no action could be taken. They decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Resident Medical Superintendent.

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Proposed Conference Falls Through.—The proposed conference of Mental Hospital Committees in Eire on wages of staffs and conditions of employment has fallen through. The Committee of Management of the Clare Mental Hospital has been notified to this effect by Mr. M. J. Staines, Chairman of the Grangegorman Mental Hospital, who stated that a condition of the holding of the conference had been that at least one half of the committees should participate. Of the eighteen committees requested to take part, only six had agreed, six had definitely refused to participate, and six had not replied.

THE BUILDING INDUSTRY

TIMBER AND STEEL DIFFICULTY

SUGGESTED NEW TYPE OF FLOORING

"WHO is brave enough to cut the Gorgian knot and consider whether Corporation bye-laws should be amended and wooden floors replaced by sawdust and cement compositions," asked Mr. Henry M. Dockrell, T.D., when questioned by our representative on the subject of alternatives for timber in the building industry.

A specially-contributed article appearing in the *Irish Times* on Wednesday last drew attention to the shortage of timber in building, indicating that architects would have to find substitutes wherever possible.

Continuing, Mr. Dockrell said that there were many other variations of the supplies which could be substituted for existing materials.

"The present plan of trying to place six dwellers in a one-room tenement into a five-roomed dwelling must undergo some modification," he said.

DUBLIN HOUSING

Having reviewed the article appearing in Wednesday's *Irish Times*, Mr. Dockrell said: "This is written from the point of view of the architect and the engineer. When you come to the housing problem a much wider survey has to be undertaken—where questions which have very little relationship to the present shortage of timber and other materials must be considered."

"The Dublin housing problem has been caused by the decay of existing tenements and the situation has been exacerbated by the influx of labour from the country districts—lured by the prospects of employment and high wages."

"The housing problem," said Mr. Dockrell, "is made up of a number of items which when examined singly almost appear negligible. At the present time the housing of workers who cannot pay an economic rent must be undertaken by the Dublin Corporation and the State. The proportions of the relative contributions are, of course, a matter of discussion. When you consider this problem alone there is a very wide field to cover, and, quite apart from the present war situation, thoughtful students of the matter are considering whether a radical departure from existing methods will have to be taken."

TIMBER AND STEEL

"It is intended that houses must be built for the workers near their employment. This brings one to the attendant difficulty of timber, steel, etc., for block buildings of tenements. Other people contend that very large development of cottages on the outskirts of the city would in time solve the problem, as when there was no scramble for houses workers would have a choice of domicile and could suit their place of dwelling to their employment. There is at the present time a considerable demand by people who are quite able to pay an economic rent and only require facilities for purchasing such houses. It seems a pity that this side of the question could not be developed, and undoubtedly considerable employment could be given and houses erected if this difficulty could be got over."

"The present enormous demand for Corporation houses could be considerably reduced by taking out of the category people who could pay a deposit for a house and contribute an economic rent.

MANY-SIDED PROBLEM

"Another question that merits attention is that there are not sufficient sites available with water, gas, electric light and sewage laid on to the frontage roads. This is really a case for State development.

"From the foregoing it can be seen that while timber, steel, cement difficulties enter into the present building situation, they are only relatively small factors in a many-sided problem.

"The present Remission of Rates Bill seems to contemplate a still further pairing down of advantages given to prospective occupiers of a new house," he concluded.

LABOUR NOTES

TIMBER TRADE DISPUTE

FROM OUR INDUSTRIAL CORRESPONDENT.

New difficulties have arisen in the dispute in the Dublin timber industry as a result of a conference held after the intervention of the Area Joint Council for the Building Trade.

Owing, apparently, to a misunderstanding, a further conference which had been arranged for Thursday last was attended only by the representatives of Timber Importers, Ltd., and not by officials of the Irish Seamen's and Port Workers' Union, which represents the men on strike.

PETROL WORKERS' BONUS

After conferences during the last two weeks between the Petrol Distributors' Committee, representing all except two of the oil and petrol distributing companies, and the Irish Trade Union Congress, the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, the Amalgamated Transport and General Workers' Union, the Irish Seamen's and Port Workers' Union and the Irish Engineering Industrial Union, a bonus of 7½ per cent., or 1s. 6d. in the £ increase, on present wages was offered by the companies in response to the trades unions' demand for an increase to meet the rising cost of living. The offer has been accepted by a majority vote, and it is understood that the companies have made arrangements to pay the increase this week. It is stated that the other two companies not in the Petrol Distributors' Committee are considering similar demands.

COMPULSORY TILLAGE ORDER

PENALTIES FOR NON-COMPLIANCE

The Minister for Agriculture has made an order under the Emergency Powers Act in respect of compulsory tillage. The main object of this is to ensure that, in the event of the Minister taking possession of the lands of an occupier who is in arrears with annuities or rates, the Minister's concrete tenants' horses or implements shall not be liable to distraint in respect of such debts.

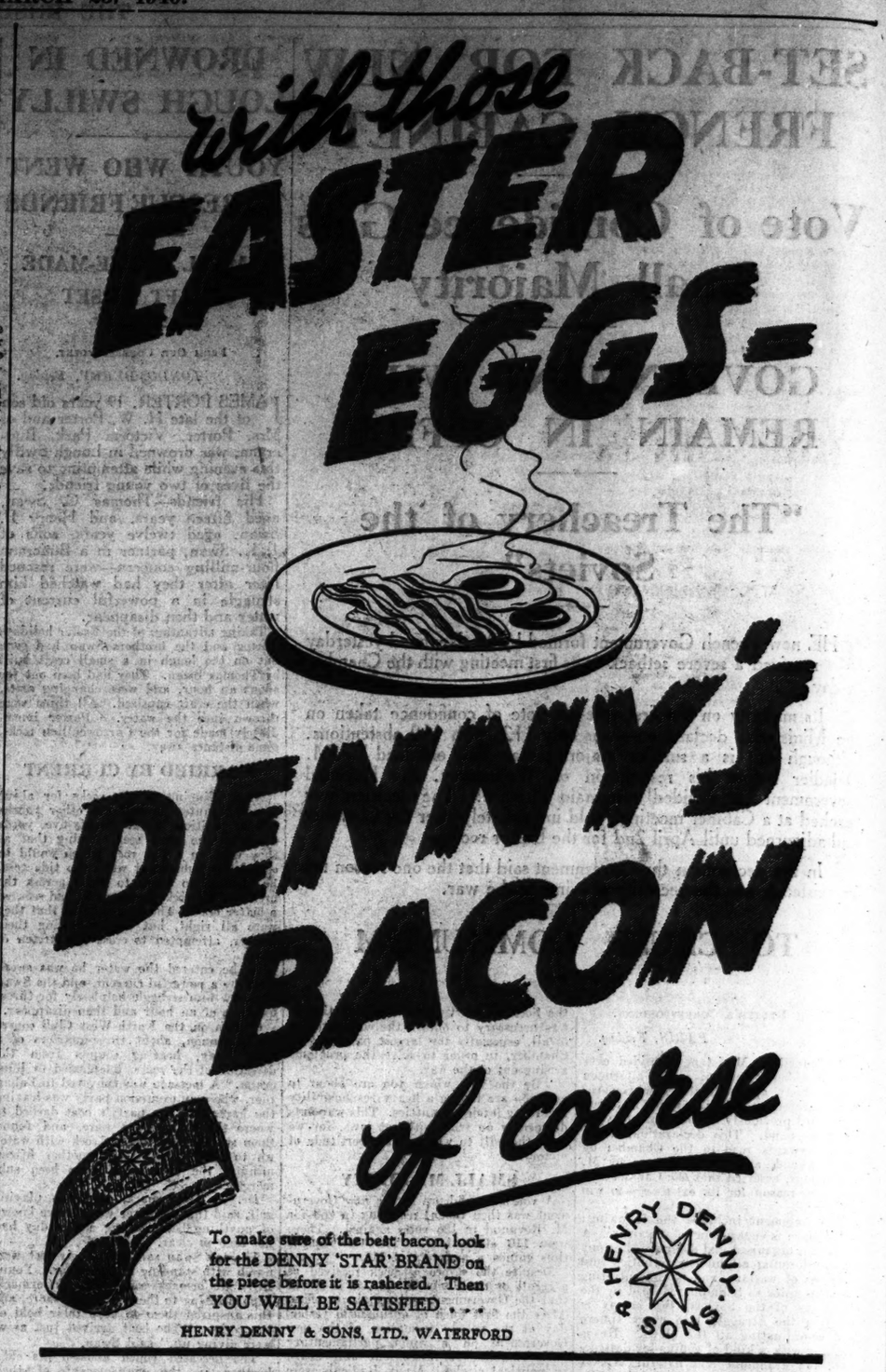
The Minister warns farmers that, as freight rates on imported maize and other cattle foods will continue to make the prices of these very high, it is important to replace them by home-produced products, such as oats, barley, potatoes and beet pulp, and for this reason a vast extension of tillage crops is essential. In the interests of the farmers themselves, he must enforce the provisions of the Tillage Order. His inspectors have reported that there has been a ready response on the part of the majority of farmers, but there must be equality all round. He reminds farmers that failure to comply with the order incurs liability to a fine of £100, or a terms of imprisonment up to six months, or both fine and imprisonment.

OPERA IN RATHMINES

The attention of readers is directed to an advertisement in Page 6 announcing an unavoidable change of programme in regard to the Royal Irish Academy of Music's presentations at the Town Hall, Rathmines. "I Pagliacci," preceded by ballet, will be presented to-night and to-morrow night; "La Bohème" on Monday and Tuesday nights.

The performances are in aid of the Mount Street Club.

Northern Potato Price.—The Ministry of Agriculture, Northern Ireland, announce that the Ministry of Food have made an Order amending the Potatoes (1939 Crop) (Control) Order, 1940, so as to increase the maximum and minimum growers' prices for ware potatoes in Northern Ireland by 5s. per ton.



GOOD FRIDAY IN THE CHURCHES

THE PRO-CATHEDRAL

ON Good Friday, Mass of the Pre-Sanctified at the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, was preceded by the ceremony of the Adoration of the Cross and procession of the Blessed Sacrament from the Altar of Repose. The celebrant of the Mass was the Rev. L. Thackaberry, C.C., the Rev. T. Menton, Clonliffe College, was deacon, and the Rev. P. Fitzpatrick, Clonliffe College, was sub-deacon.

The Passion of Our Lord was sung by the Rev. P. O'Flynn, C.C.; the Rev. E. Gallen, D.D., C.C., and the Rev. T. B. Condon, C.C.

In the afternoon the Stations of the Cross were conducted by the Rev. Fr. Condon, and at *Tenebræ* the sermon was by the Rev. Dr. Gallen.

Large congregations were present at the religious functions on Good Friday in the Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Sandymount. Solemn Mass of the Pre Sanctified, at which the Very Rev. T. F. Ryan, P.P., presided, began at 10 o'clock. The celebrant was the Rev. P. J. Perkins, C.C.; the deacon was the Rev. T. J. Traynor, C.C.; the sub-deacon, the Rev. R. Clancy, C.C.; the master of ceremonies was the Rev. D. Ryan, C.C.

The Way of the Cross was made by the Very Rev. T. F. Ryan, P.P., in the afternoon at 3, and in the evening at 8, at which crowded congregations assisted. The Way of the Cross for the children of the parish was made at noon by the Rev. T. J. Traynor, C.C. About 1,000 children took part in the devotions.

A sermon on the Passion was preached after evening devotions by Rev. Father Ultan Devine, O.P., Mount Argus.

The music of the Mass of the Pre Sanctified was sung by the church choir, in charge of Mrs. N. Bell, organist. The programme of sacred music sung by the choir at evening devotions was as follows: *Improperium* (Witt), *Deus Meus* (Dubois), *Stabat Mater* (traditional), *Popule Meus* (Terry), *O Vos Omnes* (Dubois), *Christus factus est* (traditional), Jerusalem (Gounod).

Several thousands visited the church during the day for the adoration of the Cross.

In the Augustinian Church, John's lane, the Rev. P. J. Bolger, O.S.A., celebrated Mass of the Pre-Sanctified. The Rev. A. Berrill, O.S.A., was deacon, and the Rev. T. J. Browne, O.S.A., sub-deacon. The music of the Passion was sung by the Rev. J. Coffey, O.S.A.; the Rev. L. Heffernan, O.S.A., and the Rev. J. B. Flynn, O.S.A.

The Three Hours' Agony was preached from noon to 3 p.m. in the presence of a crowded congregation, and the church was again thronged at night when *Tenebræ* was sung and a sermon was preached by the Very Rev. E. O'Driscoll.

Mass of the Pre-Sanctified was celebrated at the Church of the Friars' Minor, Merchant's quay, by the Very Rev. A. O'Neill, O.F.M. (Provincial). The Rev. Father Antonine, O.F.M., was deacon and the Rev. Father Jerome, O.F.M., sub-deacon. At *Tenebræ* the Passion sermon was preached to a great congregation by the Rev. Father Cyril, O.F.M., Multyfarnham.

At the Church of Mary Immaculate, Inchicore, Mass of the Pre-Sanctified was celebrated by the Rev. M. Butler, O.M.I. The deacon and sub-deacon respectively were the Rev. G. O'Shea, O.M.I., and the Rev. J. Phair, O.M.I. The Rev. D. O'Connor, O.M.I., preached the sermon. At the Office of *Tenebræ* the preacher was the Rev. P. McGovan, O.M.I. Special music at all the Services was sung by the choir, under the direction of Miss Tuohy.

Mass of the Pre-Sanctified was celebrated at the Passionist Church, Mount Argus, at 10 a.m. by the Rev. Father Aloysius, C.P. The deacon and sub-deacon were respectively the Rev. Father William, C.P., and the Rev. Father Lawrence, C.P. At 3 p.m. the Passion was preached by the Rev. Father Wilfrid, C.P., and seven priests preached the "Three Hours' Agony" at night.

NEW UNITED STATES CONSUL IN DUBLIN

Iris Oifigiúil states that the following appointment has been recognised:—Francis H. Styles as Consul for the United States of America at Dublin.

The two-day ballot of 90,000 Scottish mineworkers is concluded, and an immediate approach will be made to the owners for a further meeting of the Scottish Coal Conciliation Board. The miners will ask the owners for a new wages agreement.

'BUS STRIKE IN GALWAY

BUSINESS SERIOUSLY AFFECTED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

GALWAY, Friday.

The unofficial strike of the staff of the freight department of the Great Southern Railways at Galway has now spread to the omnibus department and the city and county have been without 'bus services since yesterday. The strike began on Tuesday after the company had served notice on three permanent lorry drivers that they would be employed on a casual basis, and the entire staff, consisting of nineteen men, struck work in sympathy.

The number of 'bus men who struck on Thursday is seventy, bringing the total involved to over ninety, all of whom are members of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union.

The 'bus strike appears to be spreading rapidly. At the beginning long-distance services were not affected, but a number of these have ceased to operate. Three 'buses arrived at Galway to-day from Limerick, Sligo and Ballina, and after discharging the passengers at Galway all three returned empty to the towns named.

BUSINESS AFFECTED

The strike is having a serious effect on business in the city.

Difficulty is likely to be experienced in connection with the delivery of daily newspapers while the strike lasts. On Thursday morning newspapers arrived at Galway from Athenry as usual by G.S.R. lorry, and were later removed to the 'bus depot the strike picket refusing to allow a local haulage contractor to remove them. The papers were later removed from the depot in a private car. Daily papers, in the ordinary course, are distributed to country districts by 'bus. Representatives of the men affected stated to-day that the Union headquarters could have prevented any stoppage by having the company withdraw the notices and going into conference on the whole matter.

INCOMES OF £20,000 A YEAR

REPORT OF REVENUE COMMISSIONERS

In the financial year ended March 31, 1938, the number of persons assessable for Corporation tax was 390, according to the report of the Revenue Commissioners for that year just issued. The number was the largest since 1932-33, when it was 236. The taxable profits amounted to £7,800,535, and the tax payable was £608,640. The net receipt from excess profits duty in the same year was £30,998, the lowest amount for five years.

There were 24 persons assessable for sur-tax—that is, whose incomes exceeded £20,000. The total amount of incomes assessed under this head was £1,410,478. There were 1,028 persons assessed on incomes over £1,500, and not exceeding £2,000, and 926 assessed on incomes over £2,000, and not exceeding £3,000.

During the year 5,370 seizures of smuggled goods were made. Of these 291 were in respect of tobacco and spirits. Persons convicted of smuggling numbered 607, and penalties amounting to £4,495 were recovered.

Net receipts from dog licences amounted to £57,187. The total number of liquor licences issued was 14,970, as against 15,131 in the previous year. Net receipts from bookmakers' licences were £5,570 for 554 licences, as against £5,700 for 568 in the previous year.

There was a steady increase for five years in the number of motor cars brought temporarily into Eire. The figure for the year under review was 14,402; in 1933 it was 6,856.

SHORTHAND TYPISTS.—Last Exam. Nov., 1939. First Place, Miss M. Lyons (Open); 3rd, Miss M. Costello (Lid.). SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Gn. —(Advt.)

SILENT PRISONERS IN DERRY

EIGHT MEN AGAIN REMANDED

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

DERRY, Friday.

Closely guarded by detectives and members of the R.U.C., the eight men arrested following police raids in Derry City at the beginning of the week were taken in a Crossley tender and police car yesterday from Derry Jail to the Police Court, where they appeared at a Special Court held before Captain P. S. Bell, R.M.

Seven of the men had been arrested after the police swoop on a meeting under the auspices of the Irish Prisoners' National Aid Society held in a private hotel in Foyle street on the night of St. Patrick's Day. These were:—Neil Gillespie, Southend Park; James Coyle, Spencer road; Charles Markin, Walker's place; Dermot Cavanagh, Alexandra place; John Keenan and James Harrigan, of St. Columb's Wells, and Daniel Hasson, Bogside.

The eighth man, Sean Dolan, Union street Waterside, a well-known musician, had been arrested later. He was not among the 21 men and 2 girls detained on Sunday night in Victoria Barracks.

The first seven men were put into the dock, and Dolan was given a seat near the solicitors' table.

The only members of the public present were three men and a young girl.

The prisoners were charged under the Special Powers Act with "being present at a meeting held in Conlan's Rooms, Foyle street, Derry, on 3rd March, when a resolution was proposed and seconded to the effect that an announcement be put in the 'Journal' condemning the continued showing of British propaganda in Derry picture houses, such act being calculated to be prejudicial to the preservation of peace and maintenance of order in Northern Ireland."

In the cases of the first seven men, Head-Constable Huston confirmed his previous disposition, and said he was awaiting the directions of the Attorney-General, and he asked for a further remand till the following Thursday.

Seven times the Court clerk put the questions, "Do you want to ask the witness any question?" and then, "Do you wish to apply for bail?" Except for James Coyle, who said "No," all the seven prisoners remained silent.

Captain Bell asked Head Constable Huston if he had any objection to bail, and he replied: "Provided they offer substantial securities I shall not object."

Captain Bell—In case they change their minds I shall fix bail at £20, with two sureties of £22 each.

In the case of Sean Dolan, Sergeant Lapsley confirmed his previous disposition, and asked for a similar remand for a week.

Asked if he wished to put any questions to the witness, Dolan said "No."

Court Clerk—Do you wish to apply for bail? No.

Captain Bell said he would fix bail in this case as in the others.

The eight men were remanded for a week, and were taken back to Derry Prison.

JAPAN TO KEEP OUT OF EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

"TIMES" FOREIGN SPECIAL.

TOKYO, Friday.

Answering questions in the House of Representatives to-day, Mr. Arita, the Foreign Minister, said that the Japanese Government would not become involved in European affairs. The Anti-Komintern Pact continued to exist, and member States were expected to take measures against the Komintern's destructive operations. He agreed that Japan desired friendly relations with Germany and Italy, but also with other countries.—(Copyright, per Press Association.)

Flags will be flown on State buildings on Monday next in commemoration of the Easter Rising, 1916.

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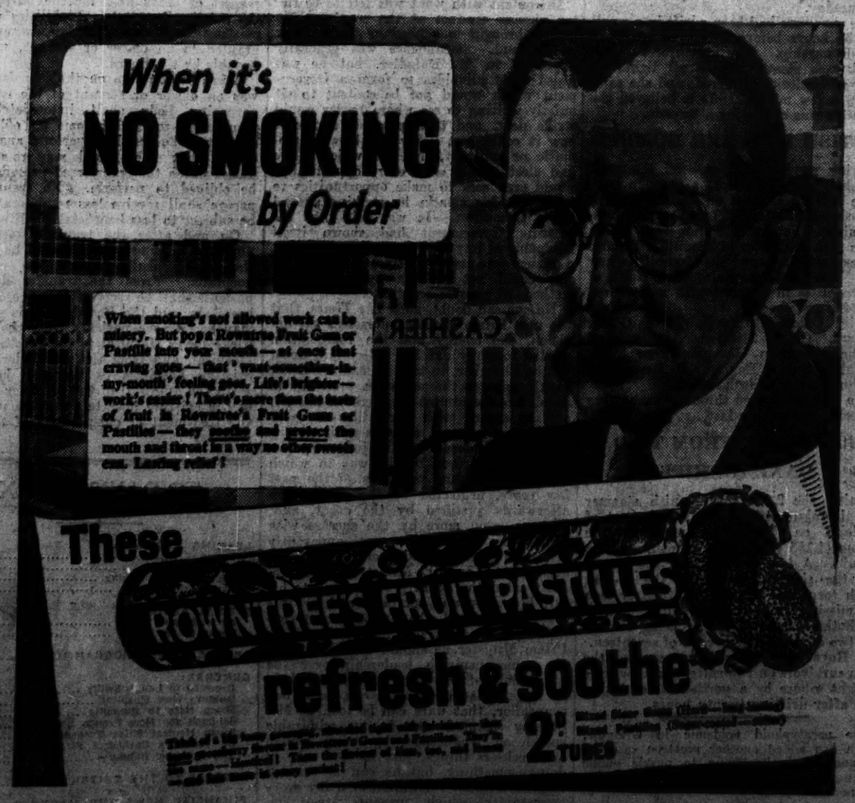

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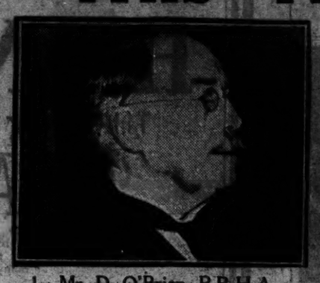

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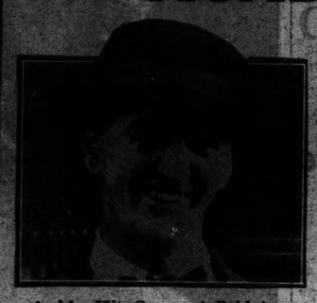

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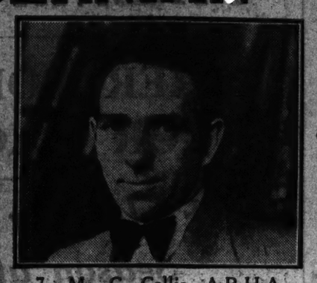

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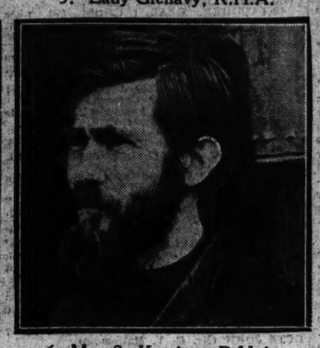

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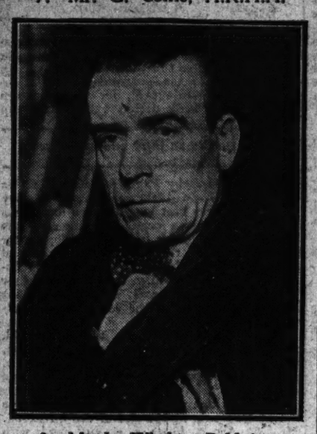

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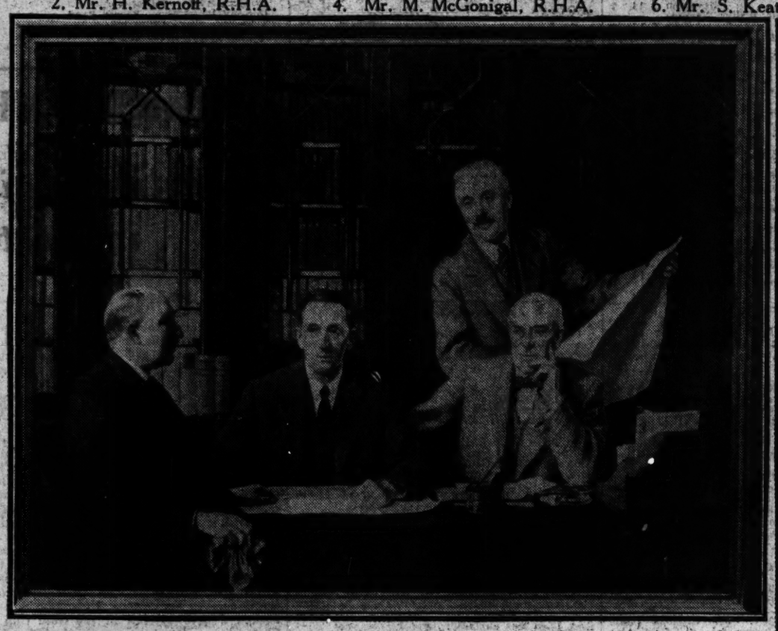

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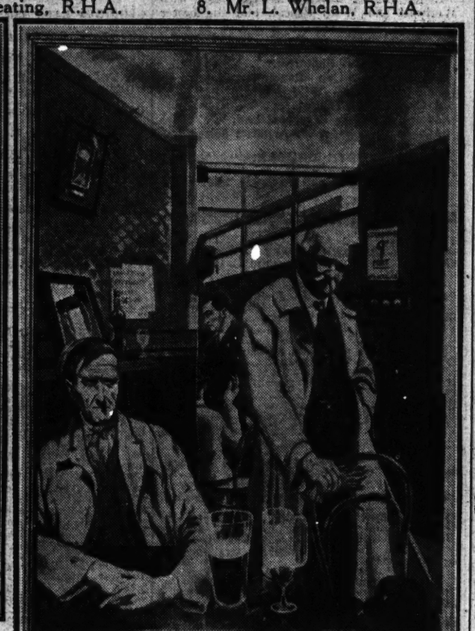

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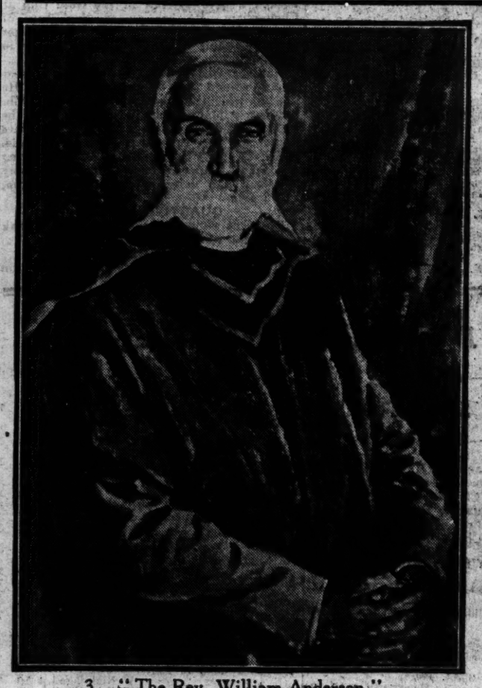

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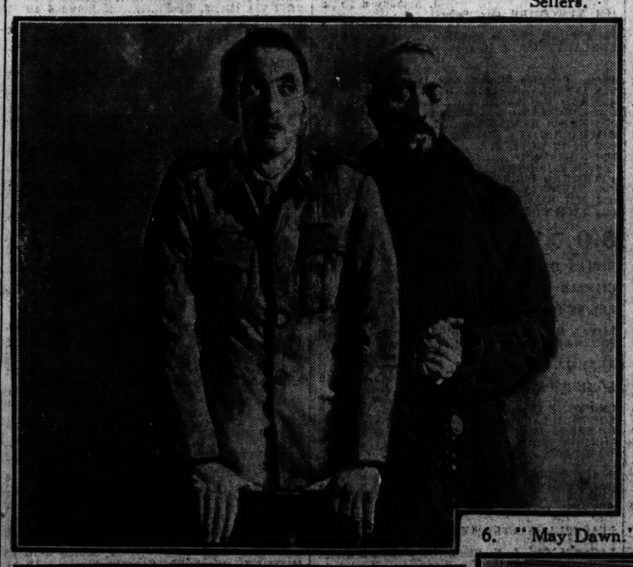

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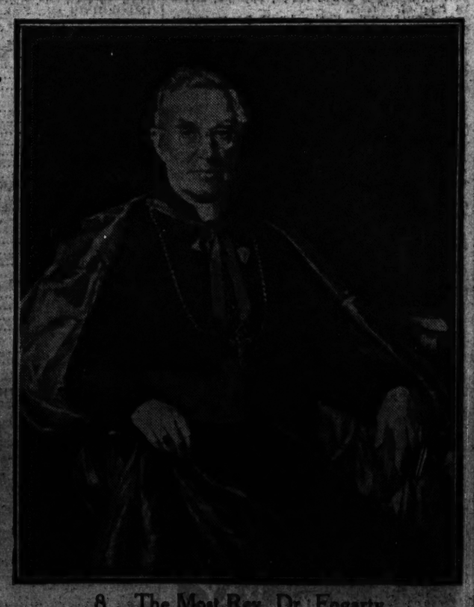

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BRITAIN'S ECONOMIC BLOCKADE

QUESTION OF MORE VIGOROUS ACTION

Supplies of iron ore passing from Sweden *via* Norwegian territorial waters to Germany ought to be stopped, declared Mr. Geoffrey Mander (Liberal), who raised the question of the economic blockade in the British House of Commons on Thursday last.

Mr. R. J. Boothby (Conservative) asked whether the Minister was satisfied that too much cotton was not going into the ports of Trieste and Genoa. Bucharest, he said, was swarming with German agents and industrialists, who were establishing an economic stranglehold there. Vigorous steps must be taken to ensure that when the Danube flowed it did not become a great channel of imports into Germany.

Mr. R. A. Butler (Under-Secretary, Foreign Office), replying, said that the question of cotton exports were being actively attended to and its importance and seriousness was fully realised. Market conditions and a rush to sell before a possible rise in prices had affected the amount of cotton exports going into neutral countries. Regarding Rumania, he said: "The Germans are not getting it all their own way in that part of the world."

DROWNING MAN IN THE LIFFEY

OFFICIAL'S PLUCKY EFFORT TO SAVE HIM

"This was a very plucky action," said the Chairman (Captain Gordon) at Thursday's meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, when it was reported that the berthing master (Mr. A. Williams) had plunged into the harbour on the 14th inst. and tried to rescue a drowning man.

Mr. Williams had seen a figure in the water at 10.30 p.m. and, removing only his hat and overcoat and dived from the quay at the North Wall.

The drowning man resisted the effort to save him and there was no one on the quay to come to Mr. Williams's assistance, so that he did not succeed in rescuing the man.

G.S.R. STRIKE ENDED

An understanding was reached on Wednesday last between officials of the Great Southern Railways and their employés of the freight department, who had been on strike. The men resumed work on Thursday.

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"MUTINY IN THE BIG HOUSE"

The most spectacular prison revolt in penal history inspired "Mutiny in the Big House," which opens at the Carlton to-day. Based on the Colorado State Penitentiary riot in 1929, which cost the State £125,000 in damages, "Mutiny in the Big House" immortalises the heroism of Father O'Neill, O.S.B., who was awarded the Carnegie Medal for bravery in quelling this prison riot, in which seven guards and five convicts were killed and a number wounded. Charles Bickford, as the "Father Joe" of the film version, plays his role, and Barton MacLane is the leader of the prison mob who instigates the riot. The Rev. Patrick O'Neill, O.S.B., Chaplain to the Colorado State Penitentiary, stated that his praise for "Mutiny in the Big House" was unstinted. The second feature, "Happy Event," is a delightful story which will appeal to all lovers of horses. Filmed in colour, it shows the life of a racehorse from the day it is foaled until it becomes a Grand National winner. Never was colour used to better advantage than in these racing scenes on Newmarket Heath on a spring morning, when the screen seems to blaze with the colours of the dresses and the jockeys.

UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES

A return just issued shows that the number of persons registered at the Employment Exchanges on 16th March was 86,401, as compared with 85,679 in the previous week. Of these 25,896 had unemployment insurance claims current, 24,110 had unemployment assistance applications current (with means), and 32,040 (without means). Others were 4,361.

DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET

The Dublin Cattle market held last Thursday returned to normal after being virtually dislocated for two Thursdays by the municipal strike.

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ENGLISH RACING GOSSIP

BUSY WEEK'S RACING IN PROSPECT

Selections for Manchester and Newbury To-day

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Friday Night.

AFTER being, so to speak, on short commons so far as racing is concerned for too many months, we are being served up this Easter with a meal that, large as it may seem, will be digestible. Four meetings will take place to-morrow and no fewer than eight on Monday, when the flat racing season begins with fixtures at Hurst Park and Birmingham.

To-morrow there are two important meetings under National Hunt Rules, Newbury and Manchester, and two of lesser importance, Plumpton and the Quorn Hunt. It is a little unfortunate, perhaps, for owners and trainers that Newbury should clash with Manchester, but the fixture at the former course was granted in lieu of one that was lost in January.

Before dealing with to-morrow's programme at Manchester a reference may be made to something that was written in this correspondence a week ago about the Manchester Cup that is to be run for in Whitsuntide week. The conditions for this event, which last year was worth just on £2,000 to the owner of the winner, it being then a sweepstake, were advertised, and the race was converted to a plate of 600 sovs. This sum was regarded as paltry and contemptible by owners as allotted to a race of such importance, and much was said in none too polite terms on the subject.

Increased Stakes

The result of the protests is that in this week's *Calendar* the Manchester Cup is advertised as a plate of 1,000 sovs., and the following footnote has been appended to the conditions in small type:—"The value of this race has been increased since the first advertisement." It is a forcible illustration of the way in which owners in this country have to fight in order to have stakes put up that are worth running for.

In the Hanging Ditch Handicap Steeplechase at Manchester to-morrow, the Grand National candidate, Macmoffat, is engaged, as well as in the more valuable Lancashire Steeplechase on Monday. Last year's second to Workman at Liverpool should be all the better for the race at Haydock Park against Custom House and Venturesome Knight, and he can be taken as likely to give a good account of himself over this two and a half miles.

Goldscleuch's Chance

Venturesome Knight is in this race, but he has been left in a steeplechase at Wetherby on Monday, where he would have an easier task, and his trainer, Mr. Stuart Wight, has another Grand National horse that he can send here, Inversible. Goldscleuch has not been showing much form for some time, but, if he is as good as he was when he was winning race after race in the early part of last year, he would have a great chance. The race may not take a great deal of winning, and MACMOFFAT may be the best.

ACCEPT, who gave the recent winner, Derby Round, 15lb. and a beating at Haydock Park, is in two races, the Cromwell Hurdle, in which he has Domaha to meet, and the Moderate Handicap Hurdle. The latter seems the more likely race for him, and he should win. There is likely to be a good field for the Swinton Novices' Steeplechase, where the best should be GARIBALDI.

At Newbury

One of the attractions of the Newbury meeting will be the appearance of the Lincolnshire Handicap favourite, QUARTIER MAITRE, in the Easter Hurdle, where nothing is likely to beat him.

The entry for the Great Berkshire Handicap 'Chase, worth £1,000, is littered with Grand National horses. A number of those left in ran this week at Cheltenham, so that the field may not be anything like as strong as it would have been otherwise. Le Cygne won on the course at the last meeting, but the opposition is more formidable this time.

Dunhill Castle's Form

Dunhill Castle has shown some of his best form at Newbury, and he missed Cheltenham. Takvor Pacha was second to Kilstar in the National Hunt Handicap 'chase at Cheltenham, but it might not be wise to place too much reliance on the placings behind Miss Paget's Grand National favourite, who came away by himself.

Under Bid is another Liverpool aspirant who likes Newbury and is sure to jump and stay the three miles. London Town has some pretensions, as has National Night. The best chance is given to DUNHILL CASTLE, next to whom Le Cygne may be the best.

SLIEVE MISH, who missed Cheltenham, may win the King Alfred Hurdle.

Plumpton Selections

A likely winner at Plumpton is TOUGH GUY in the Easter Handicap Hurdle, and another possible at the Sussex meeting is SPORTING PIPER in the Plumpton Handicap Steeplechase.

GALTEE MORE.

PLUMPTON PROGRAMME

2.0—HASTINGS SELLING STEEPLECHASE of 70 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
VAUXGAR (Mr. R. Gore)............Gore a 12 0
JEAN DE LA LUNE (Mr. G. Palmer) C. Kelly a 12 0
GOLDEN LUCK (Mr. F. Peek)....J. Hall a 12 0
LARIGOT (Mr. J. Astor) ......H. Smyth a 11 7
MURPHY IV. (Mr. J. Baillie)...Private a 11 7
ESCALAIS (Mr. Bartholomew)...Private a 11 7
CABRA (Mr. G. Coles) ....Private a 11 7
LUCKY WARRIOR (Comdr. Courage) Courage a 11 7
ERGO (Mr. J. Dennis) ....Masson a 11 7
SOLOGNOT (Mr. R. Dick).......R. Dick a 11 7
TUSCAN NOBLE (Mr. Donn)...W. Payne a 11 7
MOYGADDY (Mr. Goodbody)...P. Thrale a 11 7
HARRISTOWN (Mr. R. Gore).......Gore 6 11 7
QUE TAL (Mr. G. Hardy)......G. Hardy a 11 7
YELLOW FURZE (Mr. Heyward) Private a 11 7
FANFARE (Mr. W. How)...........Private a 11 7
REDFORD (Capt. A. Jacobson)....Private a 11 7
DONFERIE (Mr. L. Jones)..........Private a 11 7
PITCH BOWL (Mr. J. Kerr)...........Kerr a 11 7
HALL MARK (Mr. Langford)......Owner 6 11 7
DARK SHADOW (Mr. Langford) Owner 6 11 7
PROMINENT LAD (Mr. J. Morris) P. Thrale a 11 7
TREVISANI (Mr. W. Newton)...Private a 11 7
CHRISTENDOM (Duchess of Norfolk) Bancroft a 11 7
BULAND BABE (Mr. Peek) Hemsworth a 11 7
BUCKERELL (Mrs. Riddell)...P. Mullen a 11 7
SIR BERTIE (Mr. P. Thrale)...P. Thrale a 11 7
HYPERICUM (Mr. C. Turner)...Private a 11 7
SALENA (Mr. Lodge) ....Holt a 11 2
HETHERSETT (Mrs. Davis) ...Winter 5 11 1
ISOPOD (S. Wootton) ....Owner a 11 0
KNOCK-A-PENNY (G. Bennett) Owner a 11 0
PENNY HILL (Mr. Shilcock) Collinson a 11 0
LONG JOHN (J. Gosden) ....Owner a 10 13
PRANDIAL (W. Smith) ....D. Dick 4 10 13
FRO (P. Bartholomew) ....Private 5 10 12
VALHO (Mr. Grantham) ....Masson 5 10 11
BROAD OAKS (W. Hutchinson) Hedges 6 10 11
ST. CYRES (F. Marshall) ....Owner a 10 11
LENT LAMB (F. Whitehead) ......Private 5 10 10
LADY LIQUEUR (A. Redman) Dines 5 10 10
DURATE (Mrs. Riddell)..............Mullen 6 10 10
TOURNEFEUILLE (J. Kerr) ....Owner a 10 9
CLOS DU ROI (W. Thompson) G. Langlands 5 10 9
WATERTIGHT (T. Bailey) ....Private a 10 8
FATHER'S KID (Mrs. Borthwick) Hedges 5 10 7
SACRED FISH (W. Nightingall) Owner 4 10 5
FRESHWATER (T. Richards)......Willett 4 10 2

2.30—UCKFIELD SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 70 sovs. 2 m.
HIGHLAND GIPSY (Miss Clover) Goldsmith a 12 7
PORTEFEUILLE (E. Mann) H. Turner 5 12 2
THE DANDY (Mr. Allard) ...H. Turner a 12 2
STYX RIVER (W. Thompson) G. Langlands a 12 0
KOTA (S. Wootton) ....Owner a 11 13
MESMERIST (A. Berry) ....Anderson a 11 12
PEGGY BOY (Mr. Ray) ....Owner a 11 12
TABARIN II. (D. Dale) ....Owner a 11 11
REPONDANT (Mrs. B. Cohen) Wallington a 11 10
NO RECKONING (Wood) ...T. Morgan a 11 9
LAYTOWN (Mr. Donn) ....W. Payne a 11 9
THE PENCIL (I. Davis) ....P. Thrale a 11 9
HALTEA (F. Peek) ....D. Dick a 11 8
POOR OLD MAN (Mrs. Comer) Geering 4 11 7
KATE COSMO (T. Richards) ...Willett 6 11 7
MASTER SPONGE (R. Dick) ...Owner a 11 7
ARGES (Mr. Allwright) ....Private 5 11 5
SALMON TRACE (Astor) ....H. Smyth 5 11 5
SANDSTAR (Keep) ....V. Hobbs a 11 5
ASCANIUS (Mr. Hardy) ....Owner a 11 5

3.0—PLUMPTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m. Age st. lb.
ALAKMIST (Mr. A. Berry) ...Anderson a 12 7
SPORTING PIPER (Mr. Strutt) P. Thrale a 12 5
BRIGHT'UN (Lt.-Col. Stewart) ...Owner a 12 0
LANDOWNER (Mr. R. Gore) ....Gore a 12 0
TRELISSICK (Mr. Pirie) ....Collinson a 11 12
CAREFREE (Mr. P. Thrale) ....Owner a 11 10
BRISK (Capt Chamberlayne) ...Private a 11 9
CARTOONIST (Mrs. Coles) ....Private a 11 8
TUCKMILL (Mr. G. Roll) ....C. Kelly a 11 5
WOLVERINE (Mr. R. Gore) ....Gore a 11 4
PARSON'S SPRING (Duke of Norfolk) Bancroft 6 10 11
YELLOW FURZE (Mr. Heyward) Private a 10 10
MICHAEL (Mr. Kindersley) ....Private a 10 7
IDTOI (Captain Lintott) ....Kerr a 10 7
HANDY BILLY (Com. Courage) Courage a 10 7

3.30—EASTER HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
LOBAU (Mr. R. Dick) ....R. Dick a 12 7
LAW COURT (Mr. W. Nightingall) Owner a 11 11
CHEESE (Mr. Willett) ....Willett 6 11 9
ZELMOS (Mr. Michalnos) ....Gosden a 11 8
APOLLONIUS (Mr. J. Harris) J. Beary 5 11 7
NOBLE KING (Mr. Marshall) Laurence a 11 4
UP JENKINS (Mr. Wellis) ...P. Thrale 5 11 4
TRIO (Mr. Allard) ....H. Turner a 11 3
SCOTCH WOODCOCK (Mr. Ensten) Masson a 11 3
TOUGH GUY (Mr. J. Reardon) ...Owner a 11 1
JAWAHIR (Mr. T. Richards) ....Willett 6 10 12
APELLITY (Mr. J. Galloway) D. Dick 6 10 10
MARIO (Lt.-Col Ward) ....Collinson 5 10 9
TOO DEAR (Mr. C. Tabor) ....Tabor 5 10 8
HARMONIC (Mr. T. Morel) ....C. Birch 5 10 2
PADRAIG (Mr. Black) ....Holt 6 10 0
DANCE BAND (Mrs. Riddell) ...Mullen 4 10 0

4.0—CLAYTON HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 75 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
CLORINDA (Miss J. King).........Newby a 12 7
SEGURA (Mr. L. Jones) ....Private 6 12 7
BAMBOU II. (Lt.-Col. Stewart) ...Owner a 12 7
MUSICAL HOLIDAY (Mrs. R. Maxwell) Gosden a 12 0
TREMOLA'S ROSE (Mr. J. Greenwood) Bissill a 11 13
CADUMINOSA (Mrs. Birch) ...C. Birch 6 11 12
KNIGHT OF ARGO (Mr. Groocock) Willett a 11 11
JAWAHIR (Mr. T. Richards).......Willett 6 11 11
LUNCARTY (Sir A. G.-Smith).....J. Hall 5 11 10
APRIL DAY (Mrs. V. Fitzgerald) P. Thrale 5 11 8
PRINCE SALM (Mr. Collinson) Collinson a 11 7
WOODAN (Mrs. Learmonth)....W. Payne a 11 5
STOWMARKET (Capt. Demetriadi) Willett a 10 5
IRISH BRIAR (Mr. Raymond) ...Private a 11 3
SAMLA (Lt.-Col. Pemberton) W. Nightingall a 11 0
MURPHY IV. (Mr. Baillie).........Private a 10 12
DRINTRY (Mr. B. Ancil) ....Ancil a 10 9

4.30—STAYERS' HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 75 sovs. 3 m. Age st. lb.
CELIBATE II. (F. Peek) ....D. Dick a 12 7
FOX STAR (Miss Paget) W. Nightingall a 12 3
LEMON CHEESE (Mr. Mears) W. Smyth a 12 2
ROUNDHEAD (Mr. Blunt) ....Blunt a 11 13
LUTIN III. (Mrs. Janson) ....Masson a 11 13
TREVISANI (W. Newton) G. Langlands a 11 7
NILE STAR (Mrs. Carlisle) ...H. Turner 4 11 7
JONQUIL (D. Marshall) ....Laurence 5 11 6
CARRIGANORE (R. Gore) ....Gore a 11 6
HAPPY RESULT (Lt.-Col. F. Stewart) F. Stewart a 11 4
CHESTNUT (Mrs. Swiffen)............Gurney a 11 4
WOLVERINE (R. Gore) ....Gore a 11 3
BLUE EAGLE (I. Davis)...........Collinson 5 11 0
LUNCHEON HOUR (Lord Rosebery) Bancroft 4 10 13
STARLETA (I. Davis) ....P. Thrale 5 10 13
KNIGHT OF MONASTER (Mrs. Coombe) R. Read a 10 11
PUCKA LAD (Mr. Jones) ....Laurence 5 10 11
SILVER ANN (Miss Bridges)....Collinson a 10 9
MUIRFIELD (Mr. H. Geering).......Geering 5 10 7
POMPOUS (Mrs. Kaye) ....Willett a 10 7

MALLOW RACES,

EASTER MONDAY, 25th MARCH.

RACE READING, FIRST TIME IN IRELAND.

—(Advt.)

RATHKEALE RACES

(SPRING MEETING).

THURSDAY NEXT, MARCH 28th, 1940.

Record Entries. First Race 3 o'c. (Summer Time).

Bookmaker's List Board must not exceed 2ft. × 1½ft.

—(Advt.)

KILCORMAC HARRIERS' POINT-TO-POINT RACES,

Under I.N.H.S. Rules.

WILL BE HELD AT BALLINCARD, NEAR BIRR,

On TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd.

First Race .... 2 p.m. (Summer Time).

SIX RACES—FIVE OPEN,

INCLUDING COB RACE. £13 STAKES.

Miniature Punchestown Course, over perfect going, with no tricky fences. Excellent view for spectators.

N.B.—Cobs' Race will only be run if there are five entries.

ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY NEXT, MARCH 30th.

Further particulars and Entry Forms from—

A. C. DROUGHT, Hon. Sec.,
WHIGSBOROUGH, BIRR;
Or *Chronicle*, Birr.

—(Advt.)

BRAY HARRIERS' HUNT. POINT-TO-POINT RACES, 1940,

WILL BE HELD AT CALARY
ON
WEDNESDAY, 10th APRIL.
First Race at 2.30 p.m.

Six Races, four of which are open, include:
COBS RACE (value £15).
LADIES' RACE (value £15).
LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE (value £20).
HEAVY-WEIGHT RACE (value £20).
Entries close on Friday, 5th April.
Forms and further particulars on application to:
CAPTAIN T. J. WILSON,
Kingston, Kilternan, Co. Dublin.

A HUNT DANCE will be held in Bray on the evening of the Races.

—(Advt.)

CARLOW HUNT SPORTSMAN'S RACES

(Under I.N.H.S. Rules),
At KELLISTOWN STEEPLE,
On THURSDAY, APRIL 4th.

CARLOW HUNT CUP (Confined).
COLLIER MEMORIAL CUP, with £20 added (Open Farmers' Race).
LIGHT-WEIGHT RACE of £22 (Open).
MAIDEN RACE of £22 (Open).
WELTER RACE of £14 (Open).
First Race ...... 2.30 p.m. (Summer Time).
Entry Forms, etc., from Hon. Sec.,
G. H. EUSTACE-DUCKETT, Castlemore, Tullow.

—(Advt.)

FAIRYHOUSE MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 25th.

Order of Running.

1. 0—Percy Maynard Memorial Cup.
1.45—Ward Hunt Cup.
2.30—Irish Grand National.
3.15—Joseph O'Reilly Memorial Cup.
4. 0—Maiden Plate.
4.30—Dunboyne Plate.
5. 0—Fairyhouse Plate.

MALLOW MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 25th.

3. 0—Churchtown Plate.
3.30—Cahirmee Plate.
4. 0—Lee Plate.
4.30—Mallow Plate.
5. 0—Pigeon Hill Plate.
5.30—Clonakilty Plate.

TRAMORE MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 25th.

2.15—Tally-Ho Plate.
2.45—County Plate.
3.15—Grann Plate.
3.45—Strand Plate.
4.15—Tramore Plate.
4.40—Atlantic Plate.

RATHKEALE MEETING

THURSDAY, MARCH 28th.

3. 0—Spring Plate.
3.30—Garrowen Plate.
4. 0—Park Lewis Plate.
4.30—Easter Monday Plate.
5. 0—Beechmount Plate.
5.30—Rathkeale Plate.

NAAS MEETING

SATURDAY, MARCH 30th.

3. 0—Fishery Plate.
3.25—Kingsfurze Plate.
3.50—Kildare 'Chase.
4.20—Mandlins Plate.
4.45—Hunters' 'Chase.
5.10—Redestown Plate.

PHŒNIX PARK PROGRAMME

BEARER BOND FANCIED FOR PAGET CUP

Big Fields for Opening of the Season at Ashtown

EVERYTHING points to a very successful opening of the season at the Phœnix Park course this afternoon, and variety will be lent to the programme by the inclusion of a hurdle race, for which sixteen runners have been declared. To the cup

(Tote Double on third and fifth races.)

which Miss Dorothy Paget presented for this event there is added 200 sovs. in prize money and some of the best long-distance flat racers in the country are engaged. These include Skoiter, winner of the Irish St. Leger; Bearer Bond, winner of the Irish Cesarewitch, and Red Shaft. It should be an extremely interesting race, and may be won by Bearer Bond, who shaped well when making his debut over hurdles at the recent Naas meeting.

The Ashtown Plate, for two years old, should be another interesting race. Phœnicia, who was fourth to Picture Glass at Baldoyle, should have benefited by that gallop, and may win.

As usual, there will be a big fleet for the Sprint Handicap at the end of the afternoon. Mr. M. Arnott holds a strong hand with Westport and Wrap Rascal, and the better fancied of the pair should take a lot of beating. Selections:—

Ashtown Plate—**Phœnicia.**
Dorothy Paget Cup—**Bearer Bond.**
Ashbourne Plate—**Wild Wheat.**
Arklow Plate—**Trident.**
Ardsallagh Plate—**Prospect Lad.**
Athboy Plate—**Mr. M. Arnott's Selected.**

TOTE DOUBLE.

Wild Wheat and Prospect Lad.

3.0—ASHTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. For Irish-trained horses. Maiden two years old only. 5 f. st. lb.
PERSIAN TAPESTRY (Mr. J. Dillon) J. A. Mangan 8 12
ROSE GARLAND (Lord Glentoran)...Wellesley 8 12
KIT COSMO (Mr. Jos. McGrath)...Parkinson 8 12
VESTED (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) ......Owner 8 12
FLYING FLAME (Mr. R. A. O'Neill) Arnott 8 12
ROSCAR (Sir Thomas Dixon).........Wellesley 8 9
ARINA (Sir Thomas Dixon)............Wellesley 8 9
HAZEL FAIR (Mr. J. A. Farrell) ...Owner 8 9
PIANOLA (Mr. M. Kelly) ....— 8 9
FAIR INA (Mrs. C. L. Mackean) ....Blake 8 8
PHOENICIA (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 8 8
COLLECTION (Mr. J. T. Rogers) B. Rogers 8 8

Above are declared runners.

0 VESTED. Carried 8-5 when sixth of 14 to Ins an Mala (8-10), Baldoyle, Monday (5f.).
4 PHOENICIA. Carried 8-10 when fourth of 15 to Picture Glass (8-10), Baldoyle, Monday (5f.).

3.30—DOROTHY PAGET CUP, value 45 sovs. (presented by Hon. Dorothy Paget), with 200 sovs. added, of which 100 sovs. is from the percentage received from the Totalisator Board. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. out of the stake. A hurdle race for maidens. 2 m. Age st. lb.
TRACT (Sir Ulick Blake) W. J. Byrne a 11 7
JOYEUSE GARDE (Mr. J. P. Maher) Owner 11 7
SWINDON BEAUTY (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 6 11 7
HARD TO PART (Mr. J. T. Rogers) B. Rogers a 11 7
BEARER BOND (Lord Talbot de Malahide) Wellesley 5 11 3
SUNBURN II. (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers 5 11 3
BRENNAN (Mr. J. V. Rank) Fetherston 5 11 3
SHAKE BATTLE (Mr. Jas. Bannon) Owner 6 10 9
SEA BACHELOR (Mr. E. Delany) Owner a 10 9
DAKOTA STAR (Mrs. E. McCormick) Williams a 10 9
GODSTONE (Mr. J. V. Rank)...Dreaper 5 10 8
RED SHAFT (Maj. D. W. Daly) O'Ferrall 4 10 7
MANSURA (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 4 10 7
SKOITER (Mr. J. V. Rank) Fetherston 4 10 7
DOUBLE FLUSH (Mr. Denis Kelly) Owner 4 10 2
GLENKIERAN (Mr. T. A. Lynch) Banahan 4 10 2

Above are declared runners.

00 TRACT. See Red Shaft and Brennan.
00 JOYEUSE GARDE. Carried 11-7 when, with Glenkieran (10-2), unplaced to Free Scot (10-7), Navan, Feb. (1½m. hurdles).
02 SWINDON BEAUTY. Carried 11-9 when beaten 3l. by Happy Larry (11-9), Baldoyle, March 16 (2m. flat). Carried 11-0 when fifth of 15 to Lucky Thoughts (10-8), Navan, Feb. (2m. hurdles).
0 HARD TO PART. See Red Shaft.
0 BEARER BOND. See Red Shaft.
10 SUNBURN II. Carried 10-12 when, with Glenkieran (10-0), unplaced to Red Wind (10-0), Baldoyle, March 16 (1½m. hurdles). Carried 11-2 when winning 4l., 6l., from Thetis (10-4) and Sly Argosy (11-9), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. flat).
4 BRENNAN. Carried 11-3 when fourth of 25 to Walter's Pride (11-7), Naas, Jan. (1½m. hurdles). Tract (11-7) was behind.
0 SHAKE BATTLE. See Dakota Star.
03 SEA BACHELOR. Carried 9-2 when beaten 1l., 1½l., by Mr. Freezer (10-11) and Blueberry (9-12), Leopardstown, Dec. (1½m. hurdles).
4 DAKOTA STAR. Carried 11-7 when fourth of 13 to Glorious Lady (11-7), Mullingar, March (1½m. hurdles). Shake Battle (11-2) was behind.
0 GODSTONE. Carried 10-10 when, with Mansura (10-2), unplaced to Because (10-2), Baldoyle, Monday (1½m. hurdles).
30 RED SHAFT. Unplaced with 12-1 to Gay Pal (9-11), Limerick, Monday (2m. flat). Carried 10-7 when beaten 4l., 1l., by Scaraben (10-7) and Amberhill (11-3), Naas, March (1½m. hurdles). Bearer Bond (11-3) was fifth of 24. Tract (11-7) and Hard to Part 11-7) were behind.
0 MANSURA. See Goldstone.
02 DOUBLE FLUSH. Carried 11-0 when beaten 2l. by Karinsi (11-12), Naas, Feb. (2m. flat). Carried 10-2 when fifth of 11 to Inishowen (10-7), Limerick, Dec. (1½m. hurdles).
00 GLENKIERAN. See Sunburn II. and Joyeuse Garde.

3.55—ASHBOURNE PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. For three years old and upwards that have not won a race value 50 sovs. up to time of starting. 1 m. Age st. lb.
WORD OF HONOUR (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 4 9 7
SURE TO GO (Mr. R. More O'Ferrall) Owner 4 9 7
DESMOND MORGAN (Mr. G. Carr Lett) Ruttle 4 9 7
PUCKA MAN (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 4 9 7
INNIS SHUE (Lady Nugent).........Grey 4 9 7
ERIN'S CALL (Mr. M. Owens)....Dawson 4 9 7
SIRCHARGE (Mr. P. J. Ruttledge) Canty 5 9 7
THE SWIFT (Mr. L. Ward) L. S. Ward 4 9 7
WILD WHEAT (Mr. W. Barnett) B. Rogers 3 8 6
LOUGHBEG (Sir T. Dixon)......Wellesley 3 8 6
EVIL SPIRIT (Sir Harold Gray) Canty 3 8 6
WHITE LILY (Mr. J. T. Rogers) B. Rogers 3 8 6

Above are declared runners.

00 WORD OF HONOUR. Unplaced with 6-7 to Moon Ray (8-5), Yarmouth, May (1m).
0 INNIS SHUE. Unplaced with 10-0 to O'Keeffe (11-4), Navan, April (1m. 2f.).
12 ERIN'S CALL. Carried 8-12 when beaten 1l. by George Dandin (8-9), Leopardstown, Nov. (1m.).
41 SURCHARGE. Carried 10-6 when winning 2l. from Armoured Prince (11-9), Baldoyle, March 16 (2m. 2f. 'chase).
00 THE SWIFT. Unplaced with 9-0 to Circuit Court (8-12), Dundalk, Sept. (1m. 1f. 80yds.).
20 WILD WHEAT. Unplaced with 8-5 to Bray View (7-13), Leopardstown, Nov. (5f.). Carried 8-7 when beaten neck by Antrim (8-7), Curragh, Oct. (1m.). Loughbeg (8-3) was unplaced.
00 LOUGHBEG. Unplaced with 7-9 to Detour (9-7), Limerick, Monday (1½m.). See Wild Wheat.
00 EVIL SPIRIT. Unplaced with 8-10 to Swansdown (8-5), Phœnix Park, Oct. (5f.).

4.20—ARKLOW PLATE of 50 sovs. Second 5 sovs. For three years old only, maidens at starting. 1 m. st. lb.
HARVEST FEAST (Mr. W. Barnett) B. Rogers 9 0
GREAT CAPRICE (Col. Clarke)........Canty 9 0
COMPOSITOR (Vicomte de Fontarce) Wellesley 9 0
ROYAL DOWN (Mr. B. Kerr).....Lenehan 9 0
CLOGHER HEAD (Mrs. D. Frame) M. C. Collins 9 0
JENKINSTON (Mr. P. J. Leonard) Leonard, jun. 9 0
SAILOR'S PRESTIGE (Mr. W. J. Byrne) Owner 8 10
HAZEL KING (Mr. E. McGrath) Wellesley 8 10
MARK TWAIN (Mr. D. Malone)......Owner 8 10
IN CLOVER (Mr. A. L. Moore).......(——) 8 10
LOUGHBEG (Sir T. Dixon).........Wellesley 8 10
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE (Mr. B. Dowling) (——) 8 10
FONDEST (Mrs. Wilfred Fitzgerald) O'Ferrall 8 10
MAGIC BUBBLE (Sir Harold Gray) Canty 8 10
SUN DROP (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) ...Owner 8 10
BOXORJIM (Mr. W. J. Parkinson) Parkinson 8 10
TRIDENT (Major J. J. Hilliard) Hilliard 8 10

Above are declared runners.

00 HARVEST FEAST. Unplaced with 7-11 to Woodside (9-0), Naas, Nov. (5f.).
04 COMPOSITOR. Carried 8-10 when fourth of 13 to El Morocco (9-5), Newmarket, May (5f.).
00 ROYAL DOWN. See Trident.
42 CLOGHER HEAD. Carried 9-0 when beaten 2l. by Disclaim (8-6), Leopardstown, Nov. (5f.). Carried 8-10 when fourth of 10 to Swansdown (8-6), Phœnix Park, Oct. (5f.).
04 SAILOR'S PRESTIGE. Carried 8-6 when fourth of 8 to Cavalry King (9-6), Phœnix Park, July (5f.).
00 HAZEL KING. Carried 7-5 when fifth of 11 to Over Yonder (7-5), Curragh, Sept. (5f.).
00 MARK TWAIN. Unplaced with 8-6 to Cavalry King (8-10), Phœnix Park, May (5f.).
00 LOUGHBEG. See Ashbourne Plate.
00 CAPE OF GOOD HOPE. Unplaced with 7-13 to Flying Fable (7-7), Leopardstown, Oct. (5f.).
0 FONDEST. Unplaced with 8-4 to Golden Rain (8-12), Leopardstown, Nov. (5f.).
04 TRIDENT. Carried 8-6 when fourth of 9 to Portfleur (8-10), Leopardstown, Nov. (7f.). Royal Down (8-10) was behind.

4.45—ARDSALLAGH PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. For four years old and upwards that have not won a race value 50 sovs. 1 m. 2 f. 50 yds. Age st. lb.
SWINDON GLORY (Mr. J. A. Mangan) Owner 6 12 0
CASTLERUDDERY (Mr. W. W. Ashe) Owner 4 11 7
CUTE JOHN (Mr. G. V. Malcomson) Brabazon 5 11 7
GLORIOUS LADY (Sir Walter Nugent) Grey 6 11 7
SUNNY STAR (Mrs. G. Robinson) G. Robinson 4 11 7
GEORGE DANDIN (Capt. Reid Walker) O'Ferrall 5 11 7
ROCKLEIGH (Mr. J. A. Farrell) Owner 5 11 0
WORD OF HONOUR (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 4 11 0
PROSPECT LAD (Capt. C. B. Harty) Owner 5 11 0
ST. KEVIN'S (Mr. P. J. Leonard) Leonard, jun. 4 11 0
HIGHLAND BEAUTY (Mr. D. Malone) Owner 6 11 0
INNIS SHUE (Lady Nugent).........Grey 4 11 0
BRIGHT CHILD (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers a 11 0
CARRICK (Miss Dorothy Paget) C. A. Rogers 4 11 0
PRINCE REGENT (Mr. J. V. Rank) Dreaper 5 11 0
CUFF LINK (Maj. W. A. Shell)...Arnott 4 11 0
AMBER LUYT (Mr. R. R. Smyth) Hilliard 4 11 0
LUCKY AND WISE (Mr. T. J. Taaffe) Owner 4 11 0

Above are declared runners.

24 SWINDON GLORY. Carried 9-7 when fourth of 8 to Royal Daniell (12-7), Baldoyle, March 16 (3m. 'chase). Carried 10-4 when beaten 4l. by Sterling Duke (11-2), Navan, Feb. (3m. 'chase).
10 CASTLERUDDERY. Unplaced with 10-2 to Scaraben (10-7), Naas, March (1½m. hurdles). Carried 10-7 when winning 3l., 2l., from Mount Errigal (10-7) and Pride of the Dell (11-4), Powerstown, Oct. (1m. 5f. 70yds.).
02 CUTE JOHN. Carried 11-3 when beaten neck by Free Scot (10-7), Navan, Feb. (1¾m. hurdles).
13 GLORIOUS LADY. Carried 11-11 when beaten 2l., 1½l., by Becanse (10-2) and Topaleen (10-2), Baldoyle, Monday (1½m. hurdles). George Dandin (11-2) was unplaced. Carried 11-7 when winning ¾l., 1½l., from Gang Smasher (11-3) and Colehill (10-12), Mullingar, March (1½m. hurdles). See George Dandin.
13 SUNNY STAR. Carried 8-3 when beaten head, 2l., by Romaning (7-13) and Sunfleet (8-2), Baldoyle, Aug. (1m. 1f. 80yds.). Carried 10-2 when winning 1½l., 2l., from Stratosphere Girl (11-0) and Van Gogh (10-7), Phœnix Park, Aug. (1m. 2f. 50yds.).
10 GEORGE DANDIN. See Glorious Lady. Carried 10-12 when winning ¾l., 2l., from Ajar (11-3) and Glorious Lady (11-7), Baldoyle, Feb. (1½m. hurdles).
40 ROCKLEIGH. Unplaced with 11-0 to Megara (9-2), Naas, March (1½m. hurdles). Carried 11-1 when fourth of 12 to On Straight (11-1), Baldoyle, Feb. (2m. hurdles).
00 WORD OF HONOUR. See Ashbourne Plate.
03 PROSPECT LAD. Carried 10-11 when beaten 2l., neck, by Red Wind (10-0) and Ellen's Pride (11-7), Baldoyle, March 16 (1½m. hurdles).
13 ST. KEVIN'S. Carried 10-0 when beaten 3l., 2l., by Happy Larry (11-9) and Swindon Beauty (11-9), Baldoyle, March 16 (2m.). Carrick (9-10) was fifth of 17, Prince Regent (10-12) sixth and Bright Child (10-10) behind.
00 HIGHLAND BEAUTY. Unplaced with 8-0 to Bill Bailey (9-9), Limerick, Nov. (1m. 2f. 100 yds.).
0 INNIS SHUE. See Ashbourne Plate.
00 BRIGHT CHILD. See St. Kevin's.
00 CARRICK. See St. Kevin's.
0 PRINCE REGENT. See St. Kevin's.
3 CUFF LINK. Carried 10-9 when beaten head, 4l., by Two Irish Eyes (11-5) and Smerwick's Nephew (11-5), Mullingar, March (2m. 2f.).
0 AMBER LUYT. Unplaced with 11-1 to Golden View II. (11-7), Navan, Feb. (2m.).

THE DOROTHY PAGET CUP, which will be raced for to-day at the Phœnix Park.

5.10—ATHBOY PLATE of 100 sovs. Second 10 sovs., third 5 sovs. A handicap for Irish-trained horses. 5 f. Age st. lb.
WESTPORT (Mr. M. Arnott) ......Arnott a 10 12
STARMOND (Mr. Jos. McGrath) M. C. Collins 5 10 7
FAIR VON (Lord Queenborough) C. A. Rogers 5 9 3
PANCHA (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 4 8 12
ANOTHER GREEK (Mr. D. Macaulay) Doyle 6 8 12
SOLUS (Mr. J. E. Davis) ....Owner a 8 12
WRAP RASCAL (Lord Elveden) Arnott 4 8 11
LOPTICAER (Mr. Jos. McGrath) Parkinson 4 8 11
TOP O' THE WAVE (Mr. D. Slattery) M. C. Collins 4 8 5
BRAY VIEW (Mr. D. Frame) W. J. Byrne 3 8 4
THE BIG FELLA (Mr. S. D. Hanley) Owner 5 8 3
PORT ANTONIO (Mr. Y. J. Kirkpatrick) Wellesley 4 8 1
CANTERBURY BELL (Lord Charles Cavendish) ....H. M. Ryan 5 7 13
OVER YONDER (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 7 12
LUMINAL (Mr. J. Dawson) ....Owner 4 7 11
CRATLOE CASTLE (Mr. D. Frame) W. J. Byrne 3 7 11
FLYING FABLE (Mr. John J. Kennedy) Maxwell 3 7 7
MORNAS (Sir Harold Gray) ....Canty 3 7 7
ROYAL DOWN (Mr. B. Kerr) ...Lenehan 3 7 7
DIAMOND LINK (Mrs. T. McCairns) Ruttle 3 7 7

Above are declared runners.

00 WESTPORT. Carried 10-0 when with Fair Von (8-10) unplaced to Quelaisne (8-3), Naas, Nov. 11 (6f.). Carried 10-3 when fifth of 12 to Radiologist (8-5), Naas, Nov. 1 (6f.).
40 STARMOND. Unplaced in his races in England. Carried 9-9 when winning short head, 2l. from Lugnadmedon (8-3) and Fiorina (7-11), Phœnix Park, April (5f.).
10 FAIR VON. Has been running over hurdles. See Westport.
00 PANCHA. Unplaced with 8-0 to Portsworth (7-12), Windsor, Aug. (5f.).
00 ANOTHER GREEK. Has been running over hurdles. Unplaced with 8-3 to Arden (8-9), Ripon, Aug. (5f.).
0 SOLUS. Carried 6-7 when sixth of 11 to Portway Lane (9-2), Lewes, Aug. (5f.).
00 WRAP RASCAL. Carried 9-2 when fifth of 12 to Blue Hyacinth (8-2), Naas, Sept. (6f.).
01 LOPTICAER. Carried 8-12 when winning 2l., same from Fire o' London (10-2) and Miss Gorman (9-3), Mallow, Oct. (1m. 1f.).
00 TOP O' THE WAVE. Carried 7-9 when seventh of 21 to Overall (9-0), Curragh, Oct. (1m.).
01 BRAY VIEW. Carried 7-13 when winning 1½l., neck from Flying Fable (7-9) and Bachelor's Hack (7-7), Leopardstown, No. (5f.). Diamond Link (7-6) was unplaced.
00 THE BIG FELLA. Unplaced with 8-9 to Canterbury Bell (7-13), Phœnix Park, Aug. (5f.).
00 PORT ANTONIO. Carried 7-6 when, with Canterbury Bell (8-2), unplaced to Terraceford (9-5), Phœnix Park, Oct. (5f.).
00 CANTERBURY BELL. See Port Antonio and The Big Fella.
12 OVER YONDER. Carried 9-0 when beaten 1½l. by First Visit (7-13), Mallow, Oct. (5f.). Flying Fable (7-12) was unplaced. Carried 7-5 when winning ¾l., ½l., from Stagger (7-7) and Golden Light (7-7), Curragh, Sept. (5f.).
04 LUMINAL. Carried 8-3 when fourth of 9 to Ellen's Pet (7-10), Curragh, Sept. (5f.).
22 CRATLOE CASTLE. Carried 8-4 when beaten head by Woodside (9-0), Naas, Nov. (5f.). Carried 8-0 when beaten head by Illuminate (10-5), Phœnix Par, Oct. (5f.).
02 FLYING FABLE. See Bray View and Over Yonder.
04 MORNAS. Carried 8-8 when fourth of 20 to Careless (8-8), Curragh, Oct. (5f.).
00 ROYAL DOWN. See Arklow Plate.
00 DIAMOND LINK. See Bray View.

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MONDAY NEXT
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SEE THE
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of 1,000 Sovs.
START EARLY.
1st Race .... 1 o'clock.
7 Races.
Admission to Grand Stand, 10/.

CURRAGH SELECTIONS

Our Curragh Correspondent's selections for Phœnix Park to-day are:—
Ashtown Plate—**Collection.**
Dorothy Paget Cup—**Bearer Bond.**
Ashbourne Plate—**Wild Wheat.**
Arklow Plate—**Great Caprice.**
Ardsallagh Plate—**Cuff Link.**
Athboy Plate—**Luminal.**

LE CYGNE BEST BET

Quartier Maitre's Easy Task in Easter Hurdle

MISS DOROTHY PAGET should continue her run of successes at Newbury to-day. She will be represented by Le Cygne in the Great Berkshire 'Chase, the first £1,000 race since war commenced, and although the opposition will include such distinguished performers as Dominick's Cross, Rocquilla, Dunhill Castle and Hobgoblin, he appears to represent the best bet of the day.

LE CYGNE

was strongly fancied for the Red Cross Steeplechase at Leopardstown, where he fell at the first fence. He proved his adaptability to this course when winning comfortably over three miles last month. On that occasion Dominick's Cross was fourth, and Dunhill Castle fell at the first obstacle.

I do not expect Dunhill Castle to repeat that lapse, and it is significant he missed the Cheltenham Gold Cup to run here. He is a winner over the course, and is likely to prove the danger to Le Cygne. Hobgoblin will be backed despite his fall in the Gold Cup at Cheltenham. He has an excellent turn of speed, and is considered by many good judges to be the best five-year-old steeplechaser in training.

Another who should run well is Takvor Pacha, second to Kilstar at Cheltenham. He appears leniently handicapped with 10st. 8lb.

Quartier Maitre and Wonersh, two of the most fancied candidates for the Lincolnshire Handicap, will run for the Easter Hurdle. Both were easy winners at the last meeting here, but I was disappointed by the way Wonersh ran subsequently at Cheltenham, and I give

QUARTIER MAITRE

a confident vote. Chorus Boy and Mubarak are others with good chances.

LE MAESTRO

will be meeting more formidable opposition in the King Alfred Handicap Hurdle, than when he won easily at Fontwell Park. He will have 9lb. less to carry here, and although he will not find it easy to dispose of Bahuddin and Psychic Bid, he should win. I expect

RED ROWER

to supplement his Windsor success in the Wayland Smith 'Chase, and complete a double for I. Anthony. Poet Prince is the alternative.

INTERLAKEN

is preferred to Bachelor's Gown in the Vale of White Horse Steeplechase, and

SCOLE

holds a winning chance in the Seven Barrows Hurdle.

There appears to be several good betting opportunities at Manchester.

SANDY'S CHOICE

was a clever winner from Iceberg II. and The Top at Windsor last Saturday, and I expect him to augment the success in the Swinton Novices' Steeplechase. Annalough and Dark Way should be placed.

CHINESE ORDER

is preferred to Macmoffat in the Hanging Ditch Handicap Steeplechase.

CHERIE B.

has a winning chance in the Moderate Handicap Hurdle.

CURRAGH PLANS FOR IRISH "NATIONAL"

C. BRABAZON TO SADDLE THREE RUNNERS

According to present arrangements, Curragh stables will supply five runners in the Irish Grand National at Fairyhouse on Monday. The Red Cross Steeplechase winner, Jack Chaucer, will be one of C. Brabazon's trio, and this progressive 'chaser, who has done really well since his Leopardstown triumph will be ridden by J. Lenehan. His stable companions, Pontet and Ballyhooley, are also to compete, and will be ridden, respectively, by J. C. Parkinson and B. McCarthy. The trainer's son, Aubrey Brabazon, has been engaged to ride Baykora, owned by Miss M. Wallace and trained at Shinrone, Co. Tipperary.

The Loughbrown trainer, R. Fetherstonhaugh, will saddle Lord Bicester's lightly-weighted Hebridean, with P. J. Murphy riding, and Colonel Scott Moore's Galway Plate winner, Pulcher, will run if the going is not too soft. If saddled he will be ridden by J. Costello.

NEWBURY PROGRAMME

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

Seven Barrows Handicap Hurdle—**Scole.**
Vale of White Horse 'Chase—**Interlaken.**
Great Berkshire 'Chase—**Le Cygne** (nap).
Easter Hurdle—**Quartier Maitre.**
King Alfred Handicap Hurdle—**Le Maestro.**
Wayland Smith 'Chase—**Red Rower.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Le Cygne and Quartier Maitre.

2.0—SEVEN BARROWS SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SAMOS III. (Mr. H. T. Rich)...R. Adams a 12 7
SCOTCH WOODCOCK (Mrs. G. Lambton) Masson a 12 4
WOODSIDE TERRACE (Mr. E. C. Massy) Kilpatrick a 12 3
THE HACK (Mr. J. R. Anthony) J. Anthony 5 12 3
BOLD RIVAL (Capt. M. G.-Watson) Budgett 5 12 3
PASSEPORT II. (Miss D. Paget) O. Anthony a 12 2
MILTONIC (Mr. M. Molloy) ....Gilbert a 11 12
KOTA (Mr. S. Wootton) ....Wootton a 11 11
THE PENCIL (Mr. I. Z. Davis) P. Thrale a 11 10
COSMOVALE (Lord Milton) ....Beeby 4 11 10
BIRNAM (Mr. G. W. Roll) ....Walwyn 6 11 7
CONQUER (Miss A. H. B. Clover) Goldsmith 4 11 7
PATROCLOS (Mr. J. Scott) ....Saxby 4 11 7
CLEARBURY (Mr. John Read) R. Read 4 11 7
ISOPOD (Mr. S. Wootton) ....Wootton 5 11 5
RECORD REIGN (Mr. F. W. Dennis) F. Brown a 11 5
SHY MONK (Mr. Freake) ....Freake a 11 4
ZEUS (Mr. T. Cook) ....J. Hall a 11 4
BLUE BEARD II. (Mr. R. Petre) Hemsworth a 11 4
HALTEA (Mr. F. E. Peek) ....D. Dick a 11 4
TWEEDLEDEE II. (Mrs. M. Scott) R. Hobbs a 11 3
PAT (Mr. R. Hobbs) ....R. Hobbs 5 11 3
QUEEN WASP (Mr. Williams) I. Anthony 6 11 2
FASHION (Mr. R. Hobbs) ....R. Hobbs a 11 2
PEACE DISTURBER (Mr. A. Saunders) G. Todd a 11 2
KATE COSMO (Mr. T. Richards) Willitt 6 11 2
PRINCE CHARLIE III. (Mr. Greenham) Rayson a 11 2
MORNING TIDE (Mr. H. S. Lester) G. Todd 5 11 1
BLUE HEATH (Mr. M. Evans) D. Williams 5 11 1
ROYAL JOY (Mr. T. Westhead) Gosden 6 11 0
SWING TIME (Mr. J. V. Rank) H. Brown 6 11 0
ARGES (Mr. Allwright) ....Private 5 10 13
SCOLE (Mr. Price) ....F. Gurney a 10 12
KINNAGH CROSS (Lt.-Col. Middleton) W. Payne a 10 12
BROAD OAKS (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges 6 10 12
SHELDRAKE (Mr. Hastings) ...Hastings a 10 12
BALLYMONEY (Mr. E. Burry) Private a 10 11
FATHER'S KID (Mrs. Borthwick) Hedges 5 10 11
PORTREEVE (Mr. G. J. Griffin) Geering 5 10 11
WAR STAR (Capt. Scott) ....R. Hobbs 4 10 10
ELLEN'S GARTER (Mr. J. L. Hall) J. Hall a 10 9
CLOS DU ROI (Mr. Thompson) G. Langlands 5 10 9
PRANDIAL (Mr. W. G. Smith) D. Dick 4 10 9
BLACK EAGLE (Mr. Bates) E. Harper a 10 8
LADY LIQUEUR (Mr. Redman) ...Dines 5 10 7
MR. TICKLER (Mrs. Goode) ....Goode a 10 5
HEIR AT LAW (Mr. Hutchinson) Hedges 4 10 3
GISBOROUGH (Mr. Francis) ....Powell 6 10 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
010 SCOTCH WOODCOCK .... —— 100/6
000 BOLD RIVAL .... D. Rayson 100/6
000 MILTONIC .... —— 100/8
050 KOTA .... S. Ingham 8/1
or
400 ISOPOD .... S. Ingham 8/1
100 BERNAM .... K. Piggott 10/1
000 PATROCLOS .... —— 100/6
000 CLEARBURY .... R. Fitzpatrick 100/6
031 SCOLE .... F. Gurney 11/4
430 SHY MONK .... A. Scratchley 100/7
300 PAT .... W. Parvin 100/6
123 WOODSIDE TERRACE .... —— 11/2
100 QUEEN WASP .... R. Burford 100/6
100 PEACE DISTURBER .... G. Cannon 100/6
or
000 MORNING TIDE .... G. Cannon 100/6
0 THE HACK .... J. Moloney 100/6
0 CONQUER .... —— 100/6
000 KATE COSMO .... —— 100/8
000 ROYAL JOY .... D. Butchers 100/8
005 KINNEAGH CROSS .... C. Mitchell 9/2
003 BROAD OAKS .... T. Farmer 100/8
000 SHELDRAKE .... H. Nicholson 100/6
142 BALLYMONEY .... G. Burry 6/1
000 PORTREEVE .... R. Gough 100/6
100 ELLEN'S GARTER .... J. Vowles 100/6
240 BLACK EAGLE .... —— 100/6
100 HEIR AT LAW .... E. McKenzie 100/6
000 GISBOROUGH .... J. Dowdeswell 100/6

2.30—VALE OF WHITE HORSE STEEPLECHASE (handicap) of 200 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
BEL ET BON (Capt. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs a 12 7
ASTERABAD (Ld. Bicester) ....Beeby a 12 4
CHINESE ORDER (Lady Lindsay) Private a 11 8
INTERLAKEN (Mr. G. Beeby) ...Beeby a 11 4
ARD MACHA (Miss Paget) O. Anthony a 11 4
SHORT SHRIFT (Ld. Bicester) ...Beeby a 11 3
KNIGHT OF THE BORDER (Miss Paget) ....O. Anthony 6 10 13
KINGSLAND (Mr. A. E. Berry) Gosden a 10 12
KHRIS KINGLE (Mrs. Wilkinson) W. Nightingall a 10 11
BACHELOR'S GOWN (10lb. ex.) (Mr. Llewellyn) ....Legge a 10 11
ABBOT'S GLANCE (Mr. Metcalf) F. Brown a 10 9
DARK RAVINE (Mr. Forwood) Forwood 6 10 9
NOVGOROD (M. Philipps) ....Bissill a 10 8
MEDO II. (Ld Sefton) ....R. Hobbs 6 10 8
METALURGIC (Mr. Cottrill) ....Cottrill 5 10 8
YAT-SEN (Mr. J. L. Bailes) ...R. Hobbs a 10 4
TANYA'S KNIGHT (Miss Paget) O. Anthony 5 10 4
MIXED FOURSOME (Capt. Petre) Hemsworth a 10 2
NATIONAL NIGHT (Mr. Whitney) J. Anthony a 10 2
JIM NEWCOMBE (Mr. Spiers) Kilpatrick 6 10 1
JACK PUGH (Mr. B. Dugdale) ...Powell a 10 1
LUNCARTY (Sir A. Gordon-Smith) J. Hall 5 10 0

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
012 INTERLAKEN .... T. F. Carey 9/4
400 ARD MACHA .... E. Williams 11/2
010 KINGSLAND .... D. Butchers 6/1
003 KHRIS KINGLE .... J. Cox 100/8
341 BACHELOR'S GOWN .... P. Lay 7/2
000 DARK REVINE .... —— 100/6
000 NOVGOROD .... J. Bissill 100/7
100 METALURGIC .... D. L. Jones 100/8
120 MIXED FOURESOME .... S. Magee 100/6
003 NATIONAL NIGHT .... —— 100/6
004 JIM NEWCOMBE .... —— 100/6
003 JACK PUGH .... J. Dowdeswell 8/1

3.0—GREAT BERKSHIRE STEEPLECHASE a handicap of 1,000 sovs. 3m. Age st. lb.
ROMAN HACKLE (Miss Paget) O. Anthony a 12 7
KILSTAR (10lb. ex.) (Miss Paget) O. Anthony a 12 7
BEL ET BON (Capt. Whitelaw) (2lb. ex.) W. Stubbs a 12 6
ROYAL MAIL (Mrs. Evans)...I. Anthony a 12 3
SOUTHERN HERO (Mr. J. V. Rank) H. Brown a 12 3
DUNHILL CASTLE (Sir W. Chilcott) H. Lowe a 12 0
DOMINICK'S CROSS (Mr. Donn) W. Payne a 11 10
LE CYGNE (Miss Paget)......O. Anthony a 11 9
ROCKQUILLA (Lord Bicester).......Beeby a 11 9
UP SABRE (Mr. Goodbody).....P. Thrale a 11 8
LONDON TOWN (Mr. Clark)...I. Anthony a 11 7
MASQUERY (Mrs. de Selincourt) J. Anthony a 11 7
BLACK HAWK (Mrs. Jones)....Goldsmith a 11 6
HOBGOBLIN (Col. Foljambe)...Foljambe 6 11 4
TALLIN (Lord Stalbridge)........Stalbridge a 11 2
CHINESE ORDER (Lady Lindsay) Private a 11 1
PEACEFUL WALTER (Mr. Berry) Gosden a 11 0
LACATOI (Mr. J. V. Rank).....H. Brown a 10 12
HAPPY RESULT (Lt.-Col. Stewart) F. Stewart a 10 10
BOYO (Capt. F. Covell)...........R. Hobbs a 10 9
TAKVOR PACHA (Major Rushton) F. Brown a 10 8
KERBOGA (Mr. J. Ismay).............Dale 6 10 7
NATIONAL NIGHT (Mr. Whitney) J. Anthony a 10 6
UNDER BID (Sir H. de Trafford) Whitaker a 10 5
RED FREEMAN (Mr. Goodbody) P. Thrale a 10 4

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
112 SOUTHERN HERO .... J. Fawcus 10/1
or
100 LACATOI .... J. Fawcus 10/1
004 DUNHILL CASTLE .... W. Parvin 9/2
314 DOMINICK'S CROSS .... C. Mitchell 100/8
101 LE CYGNE .... W. T. O'Grady 7/2
300 ROCKQUILLA .... T. F. Carey 100/8
200 UP SABRE .... W. Redmond 100/7
000 LONDON TOWN .... D. Morgan 11/2
000 MASQUERY .... J. Moloney 20/1
120 HOBGOBLIN .... J. Bissill 100/7
003 TALLIN .... —— 20/1
C30 PEACEFUL WALTER .... S. Magee 20/1
211 HAPPY RESULT .... —— 20/1
020 BOYO .... R. Morgan 100/6
402 TAKVOR PACHA .... Mr. Prior-Palmer 8/1
200 KERBOGA .... D. Butchers 20/1
003 NATIONAL NIGHT .... H. Jones 20/1
020 UNDER BID .... H. Nicholson 100/6
003 RED FREEMAN .... —— 100/6

3.30—EASTER HURDLE RACE of 250 sovs. 2 m. Age. st. lb.
QUARTIER-MAITRE (Mrs. A. Bendir) J. Anthony 5 11 13
FRONT PAGE (Lady R. Gresham) Private a 11 7
MOUNTAIN RANGER (Mr. V. Hobbs) V. Hobbs a 11 7
GYPPO (Lady Lindsay)..............Private 6 11 7
SCHAMIL (Mr. H. Steeb)....H. Whiteman a 11 7
NIGHTCAP III. (Mr. P. Taunt)..........East a 11 7
BACHCHA SAHIB (Mr. D. Baring) Beeby a 11 7
MUBURAK (Mr. G. Duller)..........Duller 6 11 7
MOUKTAR PACHA (Mr. W. Butlcknap) J. Beary 5 11 3
FULL TIDE (Mr. G. Hardy).............Hardy 5 11 3
DERBY ROUND (Lord Harewood) Whitaker 5 11 3
COLORADO BOY (Mr. G. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 5 11 3
ACTUALITY (Mr. T. Lant)......D. Dick 5 11 3
WONERSH (Miss D. Paget)....O. Anthony 4 11 3
SYBIL (Mr. T. Venn).............McGregor 5 11 3
TEMERAIRE (Mrs. C. Weldon).....Roberts 5 11 3
MONTHERY (Capt. G. Whitelaw)... W. Stubbs 5 11 3
GAINSBOROUGH LAD (Sir J. Jarvis) T. R. Leader 4 10 7
SHIRLEY LAD (Sir H. Nugent)....Nugent 4 10 7
MOONLAND (Mrs. A. Berry).......Gosden 4 10 7
CHORUS BOY (Mr. A. Berry).......Gosden 4 10 7
DISNEY (Miss D. Paget)..........O. Anthony 4 10 7
COVER NOTE (Miss D. Paget) C. A. Rogers 4 10 7
CARRICK (Miss D. Paget).....C. A. Rogers 4 10 7
MARRADON (Miss D. Paget)...C. A. Rogers 4 10 7
FAIRFAX (Miss D. Paget) W. Nightingall 4 10 7
HESKET (Miss D. Paget)...W. Nightingall 4 10 7
MODESTY (Mr. G. Ralli)............R. Hobbs 4 10 7
PETUNIA (Mr. J. Rank)..............H. Brown 4 10 7
PARADISE CLUB (Mr. A. Smith-Bingham) ....R. J. Colling 4 10 7
COLONEL BLIMP (Mrs. E. Tozer) J. Anthony 4 10 7
BREAK VARNISH (Capt. G. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs 4 10 7
GUNPOWDER III. (Mr. J. Whitney) J. Anthony 4 10 7

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
31 QUARTIER-MAITRE .... D. Morgan 4/5
304 MOUNTAIN RANGER .... —— 100/8
000 NIGHTCAP III. .... H. East 100/6
0 MUBARAK .... C. Smirke 10/1
033 MOUKTAR PACHA .... —— 8/1
0 COLORADO BOY .... R. Burford 100/6
210 WONERSH .... S. Magee 11/2
02 TEMERAIRE .... —— 5/1
MONTHERY .... K. Piggott 100/8
420 CHORUS BOY .... D. Butchers 100/7
0 GAINSBOROUGH LAD .... A. Goodwill 100/7
000 SHIRLEY LAD .... —— 100/6
000 FAIRFAX .... E. Williams 100/6
000 BREAK VARNISH .... —— 100/6
0 GUN POWDER III. .... J. Moloney 100/6
W. Parvin rides either Mountain Ranger or Shirley Lad.

4.0—KING ALFRED HURDLE RACE (handicap) of 250 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
SOLFORD (Miss D. Paget) O. Anthony a 12 7
BAHUDDIN (Lord Cadogan) I. Anthony a 12 2
PSYCHIC BID (Capt. Moseley) W. Payne 6 11 11
LE MAESTRO (Mrs. J. V. Rank) H. Brown a 11 10
SLIEVE MISH (Miss Paget) O. Anthony a 11 8
FATAL INTERVIEW (Mr. Mellon) I. Anthony 6 11 6
STAINLESS STEPHEN (Mr. Pirie) Collinson a 11 6
CELIBATE II. (Mr. F. E. Peek) D. Dick a 11 5
GREAT SHAKES (Mrs. Phillips) Goldsmith 6 11 4
KARLSTAR (Major Furlong) F. Furlong a 11 3
KEPT-ON (Mr. R. J. Froome)...V. Hobbs a 11 3
IRISH STEW (Mr. A. Gillson)......Freake a 11 3
PETOFORD (Mrs. C. Jones) ....Gilbert 6 11 1
FOX STAR (Miss Paget) W. Nightingall a 11 0
L'OURAGAN III (Capt. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs 5 10 13
MITSOUKO (Capt. Whitelaw)..W. Stubbs 5 10 11
JUBILEE DAY (Miss D. Paget) W. Nightingall 5 10 8
INISHBOFIN (Mr. G. J. Griffin) Geering 6 10 8
PASSEPORT II (Miss Paget) O. Anthony a 10 5
ISDES (Mr. D. D. Stewart) ......Rimell 6 10 3
MAPLE (Capt. J. Gordon) S. Donoghue 6 10 1
APELLITY (Mr. Galloway)..........D. Dick 6 10 1
ARGENTINO (Mr. C. M. Kline) ...Goode 5 10 1

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
100 BAHUDDIN .... D. Morgan 4/1
210 PSYCHIC BID .... P. Mitchell 10/1
301 LE MAESTRO .... J. Fawcus 15/8
000 SLIEVE MISH .... S. Magee 100/8
430 STAINLESS STEPHEN .... D. Butchers 8/1
210 KARLSTAR .... Mr. R. Black 100/7
404 KEPT-ON .... —— 100/8
002 PETOFORD .... K. Rumble 6/1
300 L'OURAGAN III .... E. Williams 100/6
000 MITSOUKO .... —— 100/6
100 INISHBOFIN .... R. Gough 100/6
002 ISDES .... K. Piggott 100/7
330 MAPLE .... A. Scratchley 100/7
004 ARGENTINO .... —— 100/8
W. Parvin rides either Kept-On or Mitsouko.

4.30—WAYLAND SMITH STEEPLECHASE of 250 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.
MASK AND WIG (Mr. J. Whitney) J. Anthony a 12 3
ICEBERG II. (Lord Sefton).....R. Hobbs 5 12 2
POET PRINCE (Mr. Sherbrooke) I. Anthony a 12 1
SIR BILL (Mrs. E. W. Bailey) E. Bailey a 11 10
SIMON SIMPLE (Mr. H. Bonner) Private a 11 10
OLD GOLD (Mrs. L. Dingwall) Private a 11 10
HOME LOVER (Mr. Freedman) R. Hobbs 6 11 10
BLACK BROTHER (Major N. Furlong) Furlong 6 11 10
VITEMENT (Mr. J. Ismay) ...H. Turner a 11 10
CLARET (Mr. C. Jones) ....Goldsmith 6 11 10
MANGE TOUT (Prince Aly Khan) Duller 6 11 10
ONLY SON (Capt. Sir P. Lawson) Gosden a 11 10
SINCERITY (Mrs. G. R. Lewis) Morel a 11 10
AGLEAM (Mrs. M. Gemmell) ... Beeby 6 11 10
GYPPO (Lady Lindsay) .... Private 6 11 10
RED ROWER (Lady Sybil Phipps) I. Anthony 6 11 10
GOLDEN MORNING (Mrs. B. Plunket) Beeby 6 11 10
TINCTURE (Mr. J. McA. Rank) T. R. Leader a 11 10
BRIAN BORU (Mr. J. V. Rank) H. Brown 6 11 10
PRINCE OF ARRAN (Mr. G. Roll) Walwyn a 11 10
LE BERNIN (Capt. G. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs 6 11 10
SABOT (Lord Derby) .... Whitaker 5 11 6
MICHEL ANGE (Mr. W. Goodbody) P. Thrale 5 11 6
CAR VALLEY (Mrs. J. Lewis) Winter 5 11 6
DARK WAY (Mr. J. V. Rank) H. Brown 5 11 6
CYLLANDO (Mr. A. Sainsbury) C. Kelly 5 11 6
PENLLYN (Mrs. E. Spottiswoode) R. Hobbs 5 11 6
ROI D'EGYPE (Major Thomson) H. Whiteman 5 11 6
EMPIRE BREEZE (Mrs. Foljambe) Foljambe 4 10 6
DISTINCTION (Mrs. A. L. Thomas) R. Hobbs 4 10 6

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting Forecast.
212 ICEBERG II .... H. Nicholson 7/2
212 POET PRINCE .... Mr. D. Sherbrooke 5/1
001 RED ROWER .... D. Morgan 7/4
302 SIR BILL .... Mr. E. Bailey 10/1
020 BLACK BROTHER .... Mr. R. Black 100/8
110 AGLEAM .... T. F. Carey 8/1
200 VITEMENT .... D. Butchers 100/6
010 SINCERITY .... —— 100/8
000 TINCTURE .... A. Goodwill 100/6
000 CYLLANDO .... G. Kelly 100/6
002 EMPIRE BREEZE .... P. Lay 10/1
0 SABOT .... C. Harrison 100/6
230 BRIAN BORU .... J. Fawcus 9/2
PENLLYN .... R. Morgan 100/6

Beverley has been substituted in the list of flat-racing fixtures for Ripon on May 11th.

NORTH KILDARE HARRIERS' POINT-TO-POINT

Will be held at
NEWTOWNMACABE, MAYNOOTH,
On APRIL 1st
Entries close March 28 with Mr. J. Shackleton, Beech Park, Clonsilla.
FIRST RACE 2 O'CLOCK.
Caterer: Mrs. Lawlor. No dealers or Hawkers.

—(Advt.)

WESTMEATH HUNT POINT-TO-POINT,

AT ARDIVAHAN, MULLINGAR,
On WEDNESDAY NEXT, 27th MARCH.
ENTRIES CLOSE AT 6 P.M. TO-DAY (SATURDAY) with Captain E. A. Gargan, Culleen, Mullingar.

—(Advt.)

COOLLATTIN HUNT POINT-TO-POINT RACES,

AT SHILLELAGH,
WEDNESDAY 17th APRIL, 1940.
Particulars from
CAPTAIN T. H. WOODHOUSE,
Carnew Castle, Carnew,
Co. Wicklow.
'Phone: Carnew 3.

—(Advt.)

NOTICE TO CATERERS
— AT —
FAIRYHOUSE RACES,
MONDAY NEXT, MARCH 25th.

No tents or shelters for tea or refreshments will be permitted at Fairyhouse Racecourse unless erected within the space specially allotted for them. Caterers are requested to co-operate with the Executive enforcing this order.

MAN[CHESTER]

TO-DAY'S SE[LECTIONS]

City Handicap Hurdle—
Belmont Handicap 'Cha[se]
Cromwell Hurdle—Doma[ha]
Hanging Ditch 'Chase—
Moderate Handicap Hur[dle]
Swinton Novices' 'Chase

2.0—CITY (S.) HANDI[CAP] of 100 sovs. 2½m.
DENNIS GREY (Mr. Loewen...
LOOK ALIVE (Mr. C. Nich...
CACTUS II. (Mr. McNamar...
CROSS WIND (Mr. J. V. R...
BASSAM (Miss Inge) ....
LORENZO (Mr. Murless) ...
HORNPIPE (the late Mr. C...
VIGA (Sir A. McAlpine) ....
PUCKA LAD (Mr. H. Jones)...
RAVENFIELD (Mr. Bennett...
SHELDRAKE (Mr. Hastings...
FOXDALE (Mr. Woodward) ...
FAST AND FAR (Mr. Sewe...
LANSDOWNE ROAD (Mr. ...
CITIZEN (Lady Grey) ....
EASTERN REALM (Mr. Tan...
BALLYBOY (Mrs. I. Strang)...
LE KIRGHIZE (Mr. Blake)...
MAID OF ATHENS (Mr. Ha...
MAN STAR (Mr. Stout) ...
LOBENGULA (Mrs. Gaskell...
TWO WAYS (Mr. Johnson)...
HUSSAR (Mr. Kemp) ....
MISS CANADA (Mr. Johnson...
VENDEENNE (Mr. Brocklehu...
MR. TICKLER (Mrs. Goode)...
MOONSTRUCK (Lt.-Col. Ho...
SILVER HARE (Mr. McGre...
DAGGER (Mr. Whitehead)...
ROMBEAU (Mr. Lilley) ...
SETTLING DAY (Mr. Witha...

Form. Probable Starters an[d Jockeys]
002 BASSAM ...
003 VIGA ...
001 EASTERN REALM ...
000 FAST AND FAR ...
100 LANSDOWNE ROAD ...
102 CITIZEN ...
040 LE KIRGHIZE ...
000 MAN STAR ...
100 HUSSAR ...
020 MISS CANADA ...
000 MR. TICKLER ...
310 SILVER HARE ...
000 ROMBEAU ...

2.30—BELMONT (S.) 100 sovs. 3 m.
CAPITULATE (Mr. Platt)...
BIG BEN (Mr. Lambton)...
RUSSIAN SENTRY (Mr. Jo...
MOUNT CHARLES (Mr. Ha...
LITTLETHORPE (the late M...
PRINCE BRABANT (Mr. ...
BACHELOR PRINCE (Mr. ...
ANNOUNCER (Mr. Renton)...
GOLD KING (Mr. Brown)...
PHALDARILL (Mr. Gregory...
BELLE AMIE II (Mrs. West...
GLENCORSE (Mr. Oxenham...
FREE CHOICE (Mr. Bennet...
CAMOGIE (Mr. Johnson)...
VERIFIED (Col. Dunlop)...
MAGIC FEET (Miss Newto...
CABIN SIGN (Mr. Cooper)...
WEST KENT (Mr. Francis)...
HOWRUNOW (Mr. Hadfield...
SURTAX (Mr. Blake)...
MONOLOGUE (Lord R. Pra...
GOLD JACK (Mr. Armitste...
LE BIZCO (Dr. Bennett)...
LOBENGULA (Mrs. Gaskell...
PRIMROSE DAY (Mr. Ni...
THREE WINGS (Mr. Taylor...
TON BON (Mr. Ainslie)...
TICKLE (Mrs. Dawson)...

Form. Probable Starters an[d Jockeys]
000 CAPITULATE ...
211 RUSSIAN SENTRY ...
032 LITTLETHORPE ...
200 PRINCE BRABANT ...
000 BACHELOR PRINCE ... Mr. ...
320 ANNOUNCER ...
330 GLENCORSE ...
210 BELLE AMIE ...
000 VERIFIED ...
400 MAGIC FEET ...
400 WEST KENT ...
002 TON BON ...
000 TICKLE ...

3.0—CROMWELL HUR[DLE] sovs. 2m.
ACCEPT (Mr. J. de Moravill...
LABORATOIRE (Mr. P. Bu...
BACHCHA SAHIB (Mr. D. B...
RENARDO (Miss J. Clayton...
BALLYMAKEALY (Mrs. M...
RUSSBOROUGH (Mrs. Farr...
PRESTER QUEEN (Mr. W...
ARCHERFIELD (Mr. C. Ni...
DOMAHA (Mr. J. A. Swan)...
MIM (Mr. C. R. Taylor)...
CONGE (Mr. H. E. Whitem...
KNIGHT OF CANYAR (Mr. ...
MOUKTAR PACHA (Mr. E...
HEADLAND (Mr. R. Loewe...
BENEDICT (Sir A. McAlpi...
DIAFOIRUS (Maj. C. Moss)...
SUNBURN II. (Miss D. Pag...
REED'S LADY (Mr. W. J. ...
MAN STAR (Mr. V. Stout)...
SYBIL (Mr. T. Venn)...
MONTHERY (Capt. Whitela...
AUREOLUS (Mr. A. Gillson...
WHY TRY (Mr. J. Hare)...
COVER NOTE (Miss Paget)...
CARRICK (Miss Paget)...
MONSIEUR PONS (Mr. J ...
RIGHT AND FAIR (Mr. S...
LOUIS (Mrs. I. Strang) ...

Form. Probable Starters an[d Jockeys]
021 ACCEPT ...
412 LABORATOIRE ...
01 BENEDICT ...
000 RUSSBOROUGH ...
3 DOMAHA ...
4 MIM ...
000 MAN STAR ...
422 RIGHT AND FAIR ...
020 LOUIS ...

TO-NIGH[T]

SHELBOURN[E]

8.15—525 YARDS—Tra... Oakeh Hero, Brighter Outl... City Clare, Glittering Tony...
8.30—525 YARDS HUR[DLE]... mines Lad, Subway Rattl... Ballymore, Mansola.
8.45—360 YARDS—Wi... Edition, Chiming Onwards... Fellow, Light Sign, Quaker...
9.0—525 YARDS—Keep... Breeze, Trade Expert, Real... mount Lad, Hollywood Ran...
9.15—550 YARDS—Vani... Royal Earl, Mick's Speed, ... ing Flier.
9.30—525 YARDS HUR[DLE]... Baytown Champion, Bashfu... Mighty Battler, Portain Ra...
9.45—525 YARDS—Hig... Orluck, Ocean Craft, Littl... Belle, Green Street Maid, ... Biddy.

COR[K]

8.15—525 YARDS—Fly... makeera Gift, Ballycurreen ... Boolypatrick Boy, Evergree... day.
525 YARDS HURDLE... Price Jimmy, Knockrea ... Valiant Doll.
525 YARDS—Belvedere ... Muckross Harbour, Kilnagle... ing, Cononagh Cutlet, Dia...
525 YARDS—Diamond ... Friend, Ammon's Best, We... Outing, Lead Astray.
525 YARDS HURDLES—... ford Border, Last Page, She...
525 YARDS—Valiant E...

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TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

City Handicap Hurdle—Citizen.
Belmont Handicap 'Chase—Littlethorpe.
Cromwell Hurdle—Domaha.
Hanging Ditch 'Chase—Chinese Order.
Moderate Handicap Hurdle—Cherie B.
Swinton Novices' 'Chase—Sandy's Choice.

2.0—CITY (S.) HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2½m. Age st. lb.

DENNIS GREY (Mr. Loewenstein) Elwell 6 12 7
LOOK ALIVE (Mr. C. Nicholson) Private a 12 3
CACTUS II. (Mr. McNamara) ...Dutton a 11 13
CROSS WIND (Mr. J. V. Rank) H. Brown a 11 13
BASSAM (Miss Inge) ...Dutton a 11 12
LORENZO (Mr. Murless) ...Murless a 11 8
HORNPIPE (the late Mr. C. Webb) Renton 6 11 .
VIGA (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Rimell a 11 8
PUCKA LAD (Mr. H. Jones) ...Laurence 5 11 7
RAVENFIELD (Mr. Bennett) ...Hamey a 11 6
SHELDRAKE (Mr. Hastings) D. Hastings a 11 6
FOXDALE (Mr. Woodward) ...Yapp a 11 5
FAST AND FAR (Mr. Sewell) F. Clark 6 11 5
LANSDOWNE ROAD (Mr. Easterby) Easterby 5 11 4
CITIZEN (Lady Grey) ...Hamey a 11 4
EASTERN REALM (Mr. Tarry) ...Elwell 6 11 3
BALLYBOY (Mrs. I. Strang) ...Wight a 11 3
LE KIRGHIZE (Mr. Blake) ...A. Blake a 11 3
MAID OF ATHENS (Mr. Harper) J. Harper a 11 2
MAN STAR (Mr. Stout) ...E. Parker 5 11 2
LOBENGULA (Mrs. Gaskell) ...Private 6 11 1
TWO WAYS (Mr. Johnson) M. Johnson a 11 1
HUSSAR (Mr. Kemp) ...Reader a 11 0
MISS CANADA (Mr. Johnson) M. Johnson 5 10 9
VENDEENNE (Mr. Brocklehurst) Shaw, jun. a 10 9
MR. TICKLER (Mrs. Goode) ...Goode a 10 8
MOONSTRUCK (Lt.-Col. Hodgkin) Private a 10 8
SILVER HARE (Mr. McGregor) McGregor a 10 7
DAGGER (Mr. Whitehead) ...Private 6 10 7
ROMBEAU (Mr. Lilley) ...Lilley 6 10 5
SETTLING DAY (Mr. Witham) Witham 6 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
002	BASSAM	G. Archibald	4/1
003	VIGA	T. F. Rimell	11/4
001	EASTERN REALM	G. Owen	5/1
000	FAST AND FAR	E. Street	100/8
100	LANSDOWNE ROAD	J. Richardson	6/1
102	CITIZEN	J. Hamey	10/1
040	LE KIRGHIZE	—	8/1
000	MAN STAR	J. Fullerton	100/8
100	HUSSAR	W. Barugh	100/8
020	MISS CANADA	I. Alder	100/8
000	MR. TICKLER	E. C. Brown	8/1
310	SILVER HARE	N. Dixon	100/8
000	ROMBEAU	A. J. Knott	100/8

2.30—BELMONT (S.) H'CAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m. Age. st. lb.

CAPITULATE (Mr. Platt) ...Dutton a 12 7
BIG BEN (Mr. Lambton) ...Masson a 12 6
RUSSIAN SENTRY (Mr Johnson) E. Johnson a 12 4
MOUNT CHARLES (Mr. Hall) ...T. Hall a 12 2
LITTLETHORPE (the late Mr. C. Webb) Renton a 11 9
PRINCE BRABANT (Mr. Poskitt) Poskitt a 11 7
BACHELOR PRINCE (Mr. Loewenstein) Elwell a 11 7
ANNOUNCER (Mr Renton) ...Renton a 11 4
GOLD KING (Mr. Brown) ...D. Brown a 11 4
PHALDARILL (Mr. Gregory) ...J. Hall a 11 4
BELLE AMIE II (Mrs West) ...Dowse 6 11 3
GLENCORSE (Mr. Oxenham) ..Smallwood a 11 2
FREE CHOICE (Mr. Bennett) ...Hamey a 11 1
CAMOGIE (Mr. Johnson) ...E. Johnson a 11 1
VERIFIED (Col. Dunlop) ...Easterby a 11 0
MAGIC FEET (Miss Newton) ...Newton a 11 0
CABIN SIGN (Mr. Cooper) ...Private a 11 0
WEST KENT (Mr. Francis) ...Powell a 10 12
HOWRUNOW (Mr. Hadfield) ...Private a 10 12
SURTAX (Mr. Blake) ...A. Blake a 10 12
MONOLOGUE (Lord R. Pratt) ...J. Hall a 10 8
GOLD JACK (Mr. Armitstead) ...Private a 10 8
LE BIZCO (Dr. Bennett) ...Hamey a 10 8
LOBENGULA (Mrs. Gaskell) ...Private 6 10 8
PRIMROSE DAY (Mr. Nicholson) Private a 10 7
THREE WINGS (Mr Taylor) ...T. Taylor a 10 7
TON BON (Mr. Ainslie) ...Ainslie 6 10 6
TICKLE (Mrs. Dawson) ...Hollowell a 10 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
000	CAPITULATE	—	11/2
211	RUSSIAN SENTRY	G. Owen	5/2
032	LITTLETHORPE	—	7/2
200	PRINCE BRABANT	Mr. P. Vaux	9/2
000	BACHELOR PRINCE	Mr. R. Lowenstein	10/1
320	ANNOUNCER	—	10/1
330	GLENCORSE	G. Potts	10/1
210	BELLE AMIE	—	10/1
000	VERIFIED	J. Richardson	8/1
400	MAGIC FEET	—	10/1
400	WEST KENT	E. C. Brown	6/1
002	TON BON	E. Foley	8/1
000	TICKLE	T. Lemon	10/1

3.0—CROMWELL HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2m. Age st. lb.

ACCEPT (Mr. J. de Moraville) J. Harper 6 11 12
LABORATOIRE (Mr. P. Butler) J. Hall 5 11 7
BACHCHA SAHIB (Mr. D. Baring) Beeby a 11 6
RENARDO (Miss J. Clayton) J. Phipe 6 11 6
BALLYMAKEALY (Mrs. M. Cooper) Private 6 11 5
RUSSBOROUGH (Mrs. Farrand) B. Bullock 6 11 5
PRESTER QUEEN (Mr. W. Murphy) Drake a 11 5
ARCHERFIELD (Mr. C. Nicholson) Private 6 11 5
DOMAHA (Mr. J. A. Swan) F. Armstrong 6 11 5
MIM (Mr. C. R. Taylor) ...Coulthwaite 6 11 5
CONGE (Mr. H. E. Whiteman) H. Whiteman a 11 5
KNIGHT OF CANYAR (Mr. Wright) Private 11 5
MOUKTAR PACHA (Mr. Enticknap) J. Beary 5 11 0
HEADLAND (Mr. R. Loewenstein) Elwell 5 11 0
BENEDICT (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Rimell 5 11 0
DIAFOIRUS (Maj. C. Moss) F. Leader 5 11 0
SUNBURN II. (Miss D. Paget) C. Rogers 5 11 0
REED'S LADY (Mr. W. J. Price) J. Price 1 0
MAN STAR (Mr. V. Stout) ...E. Parker 5 11 0
SYBIL (Mr. T. Venn) ...McGregor 5 11 0
MONTHERY (Capt. Whitelaw)...W. Stubbs 5 11 0
AUREOLUS (Mr. A. Gillson) ...Freake 4 10 5
WHY TRY (Mr. J. Hare) ...R. J. Colling 4 10 5
COVER NOTE (Miss Paget) ...C. A. Rogers 4 10 5
CARRICK (Miss Paget) ...C. A. Rogers 4 10 5
MONSIEUR PONS (Mr J. V. Rank) H. Brown 4 10 5
RIGHT AND FAIR (Mr. Spiers) Kilpatrick 4 10 5
LOUIS (Mrs. I. Strang) ...Storie 4 10 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
021	ACCEPT	J. Cooke	7/2
412	LABORATOIRE	Mr. R. Petre	9/4
01	BENEDICT	—	10/1
000	RUSSBOROUGH	G. Underwood	10/1
3	DOMAHA	T. F. Rimell	5/2
4	MIM	—	8/1
000	MAN STAR	J. Fullerton	10/1
422	RIGHT AND FAIR	—	8/1
020	LOUIS	G. Owen	10/1

3.30—HANGING DITCH H'CAP 'CHASE of 150 sovs. 2½ m. Age st. lb.

[illegible] (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan a 12 7
CHINESE ORDER (Lady Lindsay) Private a 12 1
VENTURESOME KNIGHT (Lieut.-Col. Joicey) Wight a 11 11
MACMOFFAT (Capt. Scott Briggs) Private a 11 9
BRYAN O'LINN (Mr. A. Donn) W. Payne a 11 9
INVERSIBLE (Lieut.-Col. Peel) ...Wight a 11 7
SILENT JACK (Mr. Goodall) ...Powell a 11 4
JACKAL (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Rimell a 11 3
GOLDSCLEUGH (Mr. Paton) ...Murless a 11 2
CORDITE (Mr. C. Nicholson) ...Private a 11 0
MERRY ABBOT II. (Mr. Beckett) Murless a 10 10
YOUNG MISCHIEF (Mr. Rank) H. Brown a 10 7
BASHFUL BOY (Ld. R. Pratt) ...J. Hall a 10 6
GO CANNY (Miss Johnson) A. Johnson a 10 5
LIHONS (Mr. Piers) ...Kilpatrick 6 10 5
CAMPASPE (Mr. Allison) ...Private 6 10 4
FREEZY (Mr. Burn) ...Bowser a 10 4
FELTONETTE (Mr. Paton) ...Cockton a 10 1
WIELDY (Mr. Gillson) ...Freake a 10 1
DUSTY SHOES (Mr. Rank) Coulthwaite a 10 0
BELL BOY (Sir F. Norie-Miller) McGuigan a 10 0
FLYING JACK (Mrs. Henderson) Private a 10 0
PRIME (Mr. Nicholson) Private a 10 0
SHILLAY (Miss Weston Adamson) Renton a 10 0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
120	CHINESE ORDER	E. C. Brown	9/4
423	MACMOFFAT	I. Alder	7/2
200	JACKAL	T. F. Rimell	10/1
030	GOLDSCLEUGH	B. Marshall	8/1
131	FREEZY	E. Carr	9/2
314	BASHFUL BOY	—	6/1
040	GO CANNY	J. Richardson	10/1
400	LIHONS	W. Myles	10/1
100	FELTONETTE	G. Owen	10/1
400	WIELDY	—	10/1
303	DUSTY SHOES	—	6/1
332	BELL BOY	J. Lynn, jun.	10/1
	FLYING JACK	R. Whitley	10/1

4.0—MODERATE HANDICAP HURDLE of 100 sovs. 2 m. Age st. lb.

PETER PIPER (Mr. J. Spivey) J. Harper a 12 7
CLARION GIRL (Mrs. E. Cameron) Wight a 12 2
STEVEDORE (Mr. A. Francis) ...Powell 5 12 0
STAR FISH II (Mr. S. Davies) ...Cockton a 12 0
ERRACHT (Mr. V. Huntington) Coulthwaite 5 11 12
SQUADRON CASTLE (Mr. S. Oxenham) Smallwood a 11 10
ACCEPT (Mr. J. de Moraville) ...J. Harper 6 11 8
MIRANO (Mr. Stuart May) ...T. R. Leader 6 11 8
KILNAGLORY (Mr. R. Poskitt)..Easterby 5 11 7
HADRIAN'S WALL (Major J. Thompson) H. Whiteman 6 11 7
JOYOUS STAR (Mr. W. Preston)...Dutton 5 11 6
BLACK WOOD (Mr. Burn) ...Burn 5 11 6
CHERIE B. (Mr. G. Oakley) ...E. Parker 5 11 6
RAKI (Miss N. Winterbottom) ...B. Bullock 5 11 5
ALBION (Mr. R. Poskitt) ...Poskitt 4 11 4
EUCLID II (Mr. J. Lilley) ...Lilley 6 11 3
FAR COTTON (Mr. T. Venn) ...McGregor a 11 3
JOHN PEEL (Mr. J. Dennis) ...Private 5 11 1
VIGA (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Rimell a 11 1
COSFORD (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Rimell 5 11 0
PRINCE PALETTE (Mr. S. Webster) Newton a 11 0
ROYAL JOY (Mr. T. Westhead)...Gosden 6 11 0
SWING TIME (Mr J. Rank) ...H. Brown 6 10 12
SHY MONK (Mr. C. Franks) ...Freake a 10 10
CARAVAN GIRL (Mrs. L. Redfern) Drake 5 10 10
KINNEAGH CROSS (Lt.-Col. G. Middleton) W. Payne 6 10 9
ALTON (Mrs. I. Strang) ...Wight 6 10 8
NORTH STAFFORD (Mr. C. Booth) Webb 5 10 7
FORK OVER (Mr. A. Johnson) ...Private 6 10 6
SHILLALLY (Miss A. Weston-Adamson) Renton a 10 6
MISS CANADA (Mr. M. Johnson)...Owner 5 10 5
SWEET WILL (Mrs. B. Glover) ...Shaw a 10 4
ARTAXERXES (Mr. F. Whitehead) W. Madden a 10 4
NOBLE MISS (Mr. G. Jackson)...Private 6 10 3

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000	STEVEDORE	E. C. Brown	10/1
102	STAR FISH II	G. Owen	3/1
113	ERRACHT	—	10/1
400	SQUADRON CASTLE	G. Potts	6/1
200	HADRIAN'S WALL	Mr. T. Hanbury	10/1
000	JOYOUS STAR	G. Archibald	10/1
230	BLACK WOOD	E. Carr	10/1
400	CHERRIE B	J. Fullerton	9/2
000	RAKI	—	10/1
300	FAR COTTON	N. Dixon	10/1
022	COSFORD	T. Rimell	9/4
010	ALBION	Mr. Vaux	5/1
000	JOHN PEEL	—	10/1
000	SWING TIME	W. Bartlam	10/1
000	CARAVAN GIRL	—	10/1
000	ALTON	M. Hogan	10/1
000	NORTH STAFFORD	J. Cooke	10/1
000	FORK OVER	—	10/1
020	MISS CANADA	I. Alder	10/1

4.30—SWINTON NOVICES' 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m Age. st. lb.

FORWARD (Mr. T Cook) ...J. Hall a 12 5
YOKSRHIRE WOLDS (Mr. Burn) Bowser a 12 0
FINDAWAY (Mrs. Cameron) ...Wight a 12 0
SHINING BLADE (Mr. Connor)...Murless a 12 0
GISBOROUGH (Mr. Francis) ...Powell 6 12 0
PRAXITELES (Mr. Francis) ...Laurence a 12 0
RONEY PLAZA (Mr. Gorman) ...Easterby a 12 0
BIBURY (Mr. T. Hooley) ...Laurence a 12 0
GARIBALDI (Mr. T. R. Leader) ...Owner a 12 0
BRIAN BORU (Mr J. Rank) ...H. Brown 6 12 0
TOP O' THE MORNING (Mr. J. Rank) H. Brown a 12 0
SANDY'S CHOICE (Mr. C. Taylor) Coulthwaite a 12 0
LE BERNIN (Capt. G. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs 6 12 0
PLANCETTA (Mrs. E. Court) ...J. Beary 5 11 10
DARK WAY (Mr. J. Rank) ...H. Brown 5 11 10
KNIGHT OF THE DOWNS (Mr. A. Ainslie) Ainslie a 11 9
INDIAN MELODY (Mrs. M. Cheape) Rimell a 11 9
ROYAL STATE (Mr. H. Cottrill) ...Cottrill a 11 9
ANNALOUGH (Major R. Feilden) W. Payne a 11 9
COURT GLOVE (Lady Joan Joicey) Wight a 11 9
VANROOK (Mr. R. Lowenstein) ...Elwell a 11 9
SCOTTISH DAWN (Sir A. McAlpine) Rimell 6 11 9
MR. HINCKS (Mr. C. Nicholson) ...Private 6 11 9
GOLD CAPE (Lord Bicester) ...Elwell 5 11 5
SNOW SHED (Mr. G. Farrand) B. Bullock 5 11 5
STARFOX (Mr. A. Gillson) ...Freake 5 11 5
GOLDEN JOHN (Mr. F. Hartigan) Owner 5 11 5
WARM WELCOME (Mr. J. Ismay) Small 5 11 5
GOLDEN COURT (Miss D. Paget) C. A. Rogers 5 11 5
ROI D'EGYPTE (Major J. Thomson) H. Whiteman 5 11 5
MOOSE (Mr. E. Johnson) ...E. Johnson 4 11 5
ROYAL REVEL (Mr. G. Marsden)...Storie 4 10 8
THE LYNX II. (Lady Lindsay) ...Private 4 10 5
HASTY AGNES (Mrs. J. Dawson)...Shaw 4 10 5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.		Betting Forecast.
021	FORWARD	Mr. R. Petre	6/1
101	SANDY'S CHOICE	—	4/1
000	FINDAWAY	Capt. E. Cameron	10/1
000	PRAXITELES	E. C. Brown	8/1
240	RONEY PLAZA	J. Richardson	10/1
000	LE BERNIN	P. Murray	8/1
324	DARK WAY	—	11/4
00	INDIAN MELODY	T. F. Rimell	10/1
300	ANNALOUGH	I. Alder	7/2
000	COURT GLOVE	M. Hogan	10/1
200	VANROOK	Mr. R. Lowenstein	10/1
0	GOLD CAPE	W. Kidney	10/1
230	SNOW SHED	G. Archibald	10/1
440	WARM WELCOME	G. Potts	10/1
000	ROI D'EGYPTE	Mr. T. Hanbury	10/1
004	MOOSE	G. Owen	10/1

TO-NIGHT'S GREYHOUND CARDS

SHELBOURNE PARK

8.15—525 YARDS—Trade Tipster, Kyle Hill, Oakeh Hero, Brighter Outlook, Two Bright Eyes, City Clare, Glittering Tony, Valiant Shelter.
8.30—525 YARDS HURDLES—Jazz Turn, Goldmines Lad, Subway Rattler, Ceolan, Cheers for Ballymore, Mansola.
8.45—360 YARDS—Wireless Raven, Cutlet's Edition, Chiming Onwards, Darkie G., Brilliant Fellow, Light Sign, Quaker's Hat.
9.0—525 YARDS—Keep a Trump, Feather Breeze, Trade Expert, Really Ardent, Tact, Viewmount Lad, Hollywood Ranger, Baltray Boy.
9.15—550 YARDS—Vanity's Victim, Kilgreany, Royal Earl, Mick's Speed, Rosenallis Town, Sporting Flier.
9.30—525 YARDS HURDLES—Buzzaway Kitty, Baytown Champion, Bashful Brint, Slievenalicka, Mighty Battler, Portain Raven.
9.45—525 YARDS—Higginstown Flirt, Joy of Orluck, Ocean Craft, Little Nettle, Blessing on Belle, Green Street Maid, Flighty Phyllis, Rustic Biddy.

CORK

8.15—525 YARDS—Flying Monarch, Ballymakeera Gift, Ballycurreen Prince, Smiling Sambo, Boolypatrick Boy, Evergreen Mover, Olive's Birthday.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Castle Monk, What Price Jimmy, Knockrea First, Lyredane Queen, Valiant Doll.
525 YARDS—Belvedere Dasher, Manager Clerk, Muckross Harbour, Kilnaglory Dasher, Thin Opening, Cononagh Cutlet, Diamond Belt.
525 YARDS—Diamond Band, Caeraloptic, Burden Friend, Ammon's Best, Well Commanded, Annual Outing, Lead Astray.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Viking Ranger, Coachford Border, Last Page, Sherkin Boy, Faithful Sam.
525 YARDS—Valiant Empress, Scullen Warrior, Cover Drive, Mountain Flight, Lady Torchfire, Bend of the Glen, Glistening Queen.
525 YARDS—Jilted Ranger, Sweet Candy, Nancy Brew, Useful Gift, Silvery Echo, Ballinrea Queen, Blarney Lady.

TRALEE

FIRST RACE—Stormy Sister, Mallon Cutlet, Scarlet O'Hara, Merry Dutch.
SECOND RACE—Mountmahon Captain, Cunna Kassett, King's Gunner, Rae Gael, Floral Coach.
THIRD RACE—Nailer's Goods, Honest to Goodness, Hutwood Runner, Sheehy Pirate, Quare Method.
FOURTH RACE—Unity East, Come On Lennard, Radio Echo, Red Haired Harry, Quaint Grumpy.
FIFTH RACE—Timble Hall, Quaint Lady, Merry Convent, Castleshannon Cook, Gentle Willow.
SIXTH RACE—Endless Law, Woodville Cross, Do Dear, Meenagahane Pier, Son of Sandilla.

LIMERICK

525 YARDS FLAT—Contraption, Olympic Dee, Reveller Jazz, Rathbane Rover, Maiden's Hero, Shutters Up.
525 YARDS FLAT—Jolly Beggar, Keep Churning, Mt. Collins Fairway, Rattling Royalty, Lucky Fairy, Buzz a Little.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Hill of Ashrow, Kilcaskin Champion, Hellfire Paddy, Straight Dough.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Ivy Lodge, Editor's Novel, Balline Lassie, Cow Puncher.
525 YARDS FLAT—Glenbeigh Moon, Doonshean Stock, Peeler Violet's Brother, Street Rebel, Good Minstrel.
525 YARDS FLAT—Lucky Model, Pawsham Charlie, Southern Bow, Sweeping Sally, Dwyer's Dasher, Ballyconnell Cutlet.
525 YARDS FLAT—Kilcaskin Captain, Foxfield, Hollyfor, Bright-eyed Speed, Pearl Button, Glory's Gamble.

ENNISCORTHY

8.30—525 YARDS—High Regard, Belle Romeo, Hetty Ciss, Knockmarshall Wheat, Kilcarbery Captain, Hidden Harmony.
525 YARDS—Queen of Orluck, Premier Thorn, Fly's Best, Crazy Tom, Another Compliment, Kilcarbery Fanny, Mae Fescue.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Nigger Rally, Listen Then, Minister of Destruction, Remain On.
525 YARDS—Kilballyowen Lass, Clasheen Tom, What's a Name, Parish Hunter, Rock Lane, Moneyhore, Jarvey's Route.
525 YARDS—Modern Design, Miss Bridie, Maple Feather, Hopeful Result, Jag Rag, Bobstay, Mountainy Customer.
525 YARDS—Miss Compliment, Davidstown, Beaded Hooligan, Parish Tiger, Crossgarett Lad, May Pilot, Moon Daisy.
525 YARDS—Lucky Calino, Sure Chance, Marine Moon, Jago Ration, Honest Rose, Bright Pamela, She Is Irish.

MULLINGAR

8.0—525 YARDS—Trailing Back, Mostrim Davy, George's Warrior, Whip Behind, Drumard Man, Pride o' Parade, Killoran Tower, Crooked Fool.
525 YARDS HURDLES—Baytown Park, Blazing Wood, Halston Colleen, Ford, Saguntum.
525 YARDS—Fortunate Future, Holiday Breaker, Step Softly, Meadow A. Ruddel's Helen, Man Proof, Mullingar Warrior, Tulsk Beauty.
525 YARDS—Lawless Lassie, Monogamy, Pale Buff, Molphy's Darling, Irish Bell, Garrangreena Boy, Yukantellme.
550 YARDS—Forth, Brown Lass, Brackiyn Skipper, Clongowney Girl, Piper's Pooch, Clondilla, Matty's Clutch.
550 YARDS HURDLES—Flag of Gaine, The Bull, Mitchell's Black, Dangerous Trade, Halston Parade.
525 YARDS—Miss Salfty, Mindrom, Bonny Lawn, Burst the Border, Lots of Boys, Shout at Him, Sandy G., Starless Hearts.

EASTER RACING
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FAIRYHOUSE
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ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

SHAMROCK ROVERS' CHALLENGE

ST. JAMES'S GATE AT HOME TO CORK UNITED

The heavy defeat of Sligo Rovers last Monday at Cork was a serious set-back to their League of Ireland championship prospects, but, from the point of view of the leaders, St. James's Gate, the loss of the points to Shelbourne was no less so, as it left them only three points ahead of Shamrock Rovers—26 to 23.

The form displayed by Cork United since they came into the League has been surprisingly consistent. To beat Sligo Rovers by 4-1 was, in itself a notable achievement, which, coupled with other performances, suggests that to-morrow St. James's Gate, even at Crumlin, are faced with one of their most difficult problems. It is by no manner of means certain that the leaders will score full points in this match, and, should they again slip up and Shamrock Rovers win to-day at Harold's Cross, and Sligo Rovers get the better of Bray Unknowns at Bray to-morrow, the struggle between the leading division will have become intensely interesting. Another match that may have some bearing on the finish is at Dundalk to-morrow, where Limerick will be visitors.

THE FIXTURES

TO-DAY

LEAGUE OF IRELAND.
Bohemians v. Drumcondra, at Dalymount Park.
Brideville v. Shamrock Rovers, at Harold's Cross.
IRISH LEAGUE.
Bangor v. Derry City, at Bangor.
Coleraine v. Ards, at Coleraine.
Distillery v. Belfast Celtic, at Grosvenor Park.
Glenavon v. Glentoran, at Lurgan.
Larne v. Portadown, at Larne.
Linfield v. Cliftonville, at Windsor Park.
Newry Town v. Ballymena United, at Newry.

TO-MORROW

St. James's Gate v. Cork United, at Iveagh Ground.
Dundalk v. Limerick, at Dundalk.
Bray Unknowns v. Sligo Rovers, at Bray.
Waterford v. Shelbourne, at Waterford.

TEAMS

Bohemians—C. Landers; J. Meighan, P. Ratcliffe; W. O'Connor, J. Clarke, A. Horlacher; D. Skelly, D. Egan, J. Moran, J. Greene, P. Walsh. Reserve—D. Egan.

Drumcondra—Hurley; Dunne, Byrne; P. Ward, Kelly, Hutchinson; Dwyer, Davis, McNamara, T. O'Brien, J. Kennedy.

Brideville—Wheelan; Healy, Cullen; Buchanan, Shields, Matthews; E. Dunne, O'Reilly, Boland, Hogan, Reid. Reserve—Considine.

Dundalk—Cluskey; Crawley, Hirst; A. N. Other, Godwin, Lunn; Morgan, Cassidy, McArdle, Donnelly, McCourt.

Waterford—O'Neill; Hartery, J. Wall; Walsh, Phelan, Sharkey; Barnes, Coad, Regan, Fahy, O'Keeffe.

Shelbourne—Webster; Kirwan, Feenan; Osborne, Harris, Doyle; Delaney, O'Reilly, Byrne, Leonard, Naughton.

HEAVY DEFEAT OF THE LEINSTER LEAGUE

At Shelbourne Park yesterday, the Irish Intermediate League beat the Leinster Senior League by four clear, after leading at the interval by two goals. Dinnen (3, hat trick) and Lonsdale were the scorers.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS

Results of the matches played in England yesterday were:—

SOUTH C.—Brentford 3, Portsmouth 1; Charlton Athletic 1, Arsenal 2; Chelsea 1, Fulham 4; Southampton 1, West Ham United 5; Tottenham Hotspur 1, Millwall 2.

SOUTH D.—Aldershot 2, Reading 2; Brighton 3, Nowich City 3; Clapton O. 0, Crystal Palace 1; Southend R. 2, Bournemouth 1; Watford 1, Queen's Park Rangers 1.

SOUTH-WESTERN.—Bristol Rovers 3, Newport County 5; Bristol City 3, Cardiff City 2.

EAST MIDLAND.—Lincoln City 4, Sheffield W. 2; Barnsley 3, Nottingham Forest 0.

FRIENDLY MATCHES.—Bpraley 2, Huddersfield Town 3; Bury 3, Manchester U. 1; Chelmsford City 5, Luton Town 4; Chester 0, Blackburn Rovers 0; Chesterfield 5, Stoke City 1; Doncaster Rovers 2, Leeds U. 0; Everton 4, Wolverhampton W. 2; Manchester City 5, Blackpool 3; Oldham Athletic 3, Rochdale 2; Plymouth Argyle 3, Royal Navy 0; Preston North End 5, Queen of the South 1; Stockport County 3, Bradford City 0; Swindon Town 3, Northampton 1; Accrington Stanley 5, Halifax 2.

POINT-TO-POINT

NENAGH HARRIERS

The annual reunion of the Nenagh Harriers was held at Carrig Hill on the banks of the Shannon, near Dromineer, in fine weather. Details:—

HARRIERS' RACE — Mr. J. Cavenagh's CLOUGHJORDAN (owner), 1; Mr. P. Harty's ROSALIND (owner), 2; Mr. J. McCutcheon's DOLLA PRINCESS (owner), 3. Also ran—Britta's Bridge, Silver Streak. Won by six lengths.

BALLYROE CHALLENGE CUP.—Mrs. E. Kenny's FYNAGH (Mr. J. Marshall), 1; Mrs. H. M. Thompson's BAUTSHO (Mr. A. P. Harris), 2; Mr. D. Loughnaver's FAIRY PARK (owner), 3. Also ran—Square of London, Cheque Book. Won by a distance.

BALLINGARRY CHALLENGE CUP.—Mr. H. Kenny's SKEHANA BLUE (Mr. J. Willis), 1; Mr. D. Feehan's HARD TACK (Mr. D. Maher), 2; Mr. J. Ryan's DRUMMER BOY (Mr. J. J. Marshall), 3. Also ran—Ginger Boy, Rainbow, Grange, Hakoba, Rapla. Won by four lengths; a distance.

MAIDEN RACE—Mr. Fogarty's SIGNAL HILL (Mr. Burris), 1; Mr. J. Hogan's HARD TO FIND (owner), 2; Mr. O. V. Griffith's SPECKWORTH (Mr. J. J. Marshall), 3. Also ran—Gilt Eleanor, Prospect Lass, Ballybrista, Lucky Eliza. Won by a distance.

LADIES' RACE—Miss M. McCutcheon's BALLINACLOUGH (owner), 1; Miss E. A. Ringwood's NELLIE (owner), 2. Won by four lengths.

OPEN FARMERS' RACE—Mr. J. Cavenagh's CLOUGHJORDAN (owner), 1; Mr. J. A. Murphy's PADDY BUTLER (Mr. J. J. Marshall), 2; Mr. M. Hoolan's CORN LAD (owner), 3. Also ran—Suspicious Master, Squirrel II., Walsey.

HUNTING

WARD UNION HOUNDS

Wednesday's meet of the Ward Hounds was changed from The Hatchet to Dunshaughlin to hunt an outlier which had been located in the neighbourhood. Without delay hounds put him up on Mr. Murphy's land near the village. He went away by Powerlough and Ballinlough towards The Bush, but was headed and turned back through Wilkinstown to Dunshaughlin. Getting him away again in his original direction, hounds hunted behind the poorhouse and through Ballymurphy, but, with the stag once more badly headed on the bog road, they swung left-handed through Wilkinstown and Cureen into Lagore. With Lagore House just on their left, they crossed the Ratoath-Dunshaughlin road for Twenty Park and went on towards Dartogue, but bore right-handed for Ratoath, where the stag was taken, after a nice, though twisty, hunt of two hours.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

WARD UNION.

March.	Meet.	Hour.
To-day	Donaghmore Cross Roads	1.30
Tuesday, 26th	Fairyhouse Gate	1.30
Saturday, 30th	Ashbourne	1.30

THE KILDARE.

To-day	Betaghstown Cross	12.0
Tuesday, 26th	Beggar's End	12.0
Thursday, 28th	Thornston Railway Bdge.	11.0
Saturday, 30th	Grange Gates	12.0

THE MEATH.

To-day	Batterstown	11.30
Tuesday, 26th	Swainstown Gate	11.30
Thursday, 28th	Lobinstown	11.30
Friday, 29th	Kileen Castle	11.30

OTHER MEETS TO-DAY

Co. Down Staghounds—2nd Milestone, Hillsboro-Dromore road, 12.30.
Ballymacad Hounds—The Kennels, 12.30.
Duhallow Hounds—Lisnagoureen, 11.30.
Kilkenny Hounds—Mile Post Village, 11.30.
North Kilkenny Hounds—Three Castle, 11.30.
Louth Hounds—Dunleer, 11.0.
Mr. O'Hara's Hounds—Templehouse, 11.30.
Queen's County Hounds—Timahoe, 12.0.
Scarteen Hounds ("The Black and Tans")—Glenefy, 12.0.
Tipperary Hounds—Laffansbridge, 12.0.
Westmeath Hounds—Cloghan, 12.0.
East Antrim Harriers—The Kennels, 12.30.
South County Dublin Harriers—Crumlin, 2.0.
Mount Loftus Harriers—Garryduff Cross-roads, 12.0.
Naas Harriers—Old Kilcullen, 1.0.
Wexford Hounds—Burkestown, 11.0.
Co. Limerick Hounds—Ballingarry Village, 12.0.

HUNT CARDS

WARD UNION HOUNDS.—Meet at Fairyhouse Gate on Wednesday, March 27th, and not on Tuesday, 26th.

BRAY HARRIERS.—March—Saturday, 23rd, cancelled; Monday, 25th, Woodstock Back Gate, 1.30; Saturday, 30th, Wicklow, 2.0.

COUNTY LIMERICK HUNT.—The meet fixed for Grange on Tuesday, 26th inst., is cancelled.

RUNNERS AT QUORN

G. Wilson rides at Quorn meeting to-day. His mounts are:—3.0, Abbot's Glance; 3.30, Hillhead Prince; 4.0, Ballyearl.

W. Bissill's runners at Quorn are:—3.0—Benjamin Bunny, Mr. Lillington, Watchdog, Mr. A. Marsh; Shrewmouse, J. Ward. 3.30—Double Royal, Mr. A. Marsh; Ben Burton, Mr. Gillian; Omen, W. Kidney; Dawnright, Capt. J. Seely. 4.30—Philadelphia.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

TO-DAY'S SENIOR CUP TIES

LANSDOWNE FACED WITH STIFF TASK

The Leinster Senior Cup competition will be advanced a further stage this afternoon, when two matches in the second round are set for decision. Clontarf, whose form during the season entitles them to be considered one of the strongest sides in the competition, oppose Lansdowne in the first game, which starts at 3 o'clock. Lansdowne have had an up-and-down record during the season, and will have to show better form than recently to get the better of a side that is fairly sound in all departments, and possessing one player in F. G. Moran, who is capable of winning a game on his own account. Lansdowne, however, are good cup fighters, and may be depended upon to fully test their opponents.

The second match, starting at 4.30, is between Wanderers and Monkstown, and, even though Wanderers will miss the assistance of W. Brooks and J. Spicer, they should go on to the semi-final round, in which they will meet the winners of the Blackrock College and Old Belvedere match.

FIXTURES

LEINSTER SENIOR CUP—Second Round.
Clontarf v. Lansdowne. Lansdowne road, 3.0.
Wanderers v. Monkstown. Lansdowne road, 4.30. F. de Sedroul, J. E. McCourt.
MINOR LEAGUE.
Division "C" Test Match.
Bective Rangers 3rd v. Greystones. Sydney Parade, 2.45.

TEAMS

Lansdowne — C. J. Murphy; N. Burke, F. Cosgrave, T. Cosgrave, D. Cullen; J. Cagney, J. Maconkey; T. Sinnott, H. Vard, M. O'Dwyer, P. Delaney, R. Mitchell, J. Murray, W. Sutherland, G. McDermott.

Clontarf—M. B. Williams; B. Mullen, C. Crowley, J. H. Marks, F. G. Moran; J. O'Hagan, G. Smith; E. J. Lyons, T. C. Boland, S. Fitzpatrick, D. P. Madden, H. V. Milroy, J. J. Guiney, W. M. Clarke, L. A. Moran.

Wanderers—W. Smith; F. Cruise, J. E. Brooks, A. C. Preston, I. Sevitt; C. Fox, A. B. Robinson; C. R. Graves, H. D. Sterling (capt.), L. N. Horan, M. Murray, Rev. T. R. Horan, W. Deane, G. W. McGibney, J. B. Hamilton.

Monkstown—D. P. Barclay; G. D. Craig, R. Ganly, P. Gill, G. A. C. Salmon; J. O. Harte, L. Craig; E. C. Dunne (capt.), A. P. Kinnealy, T. Dolan, F. H. C. Salmon, R. H. Balbirnie, E. Hart, F. de Sedroul, J. E. McCourt.

LEINSTER SCHOOLS SUPERIOR

ULSTER OUTPLAYED AT RAVENHILL

LEINSTER............ 9 ULSTER................ 3

Leinster were the better all-round side in the Schools' Interprovincial at Ravenhill, Belfast, on Thursday afternoon, and their success by three tries (9 points) to one try (3 points) was well deserved.

As in the Senior Interprovincial, the Leinster forwards were more mobile, and their dashing forays upset a defence that was inclined to be leisurely in clearing. Behind the scrum, too, Leinster were more nippy, though the greasy ground and ball militated against back play. Even in the matter of defence, the Leinster side showed more determination, though Unwin, one of the Ulster wings, was very sound.

Ulster were first to score, Harper cutting out an opening for Stewart, but Tweedie was unable to convert. O'Donoghue equalised when a defensive kick was charged down. Walshe put his side ahead, and the third try was scored by Fogarty.

ULSTER—G. B. Jackson (Campbell College); F. D. Unwin (R.B.A.I.), P. W. Dimond (Coleraine A.I.), W. D. Marshall (Coleraine A.I.), J. Harper (R.B.A.I.), T. G. Davis (Campbell College); S. A. Craig (Coleraine A.I.), O. Duncan (Portora R.S.); W. A. Howard (Methodist College), E. McKelvey (M.C.B.), R. N. Parkinson-Cumine (Portora R.S.), P. W. Stewart (M.C.B.), W. A. Thompson (Coleraine A.I.), B. V. Tweedie (Campbell College).

LEINSTER—D. Fitzgerald (Blackrock); B. Flanagan (Roscrea), G. Creedon (Blackrock), F. McCarroll (Blackrock), C. Maguire (Blackrock); L. O'Rafferty (Castleknock), S. O'Hanrahan (Castleknock); E. Walshe (Clongowes), P. O'Donoghue (Castleknock), T. Ryan (Belvedere), B. Steen (Castleknock), C. Callan (Castleknock), F. Mulcahy (Blackrock), F. Fogarty (O'Connell's), F. Gaw (Mountjoy).

PALMERSTON CLUB

A committee meeting will be held on Tuesday next at the Central Hotel, Exchequer street, Dublin, at 7.30, and the general meeting will be held at the same place and at the same time on Friday next.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.
Leinster Branch I.R.F.U.
LEINSTER SENIOR CUP
AT LANSDOWNE ROAD.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY), 23rd MARCH.
Clontarf R.F.C. v. Lansdowne R.F.C.
Kick off 3 p.m.
Wanderers R.F.C. v. Monkstown R.F.C.
Kick off 4.30 p.m.
Admission 1/-. Schoolboys and Schoolgirls 6d. Stand 1/-.
Havelock Square Gate WILL be Open.
Motor Cars, Motor Cycles and Bicycles will NOT be admitted to Ground.
—(Advt.)

SOME PROBABLE RUNNERS AT PLUMPTON

2.0 Race—Golden Luck, W. Hollick; Hall Mark, T. Isaac; Prominent Lad, T. Elder.
2.30 Race—The Pencil, T. Elder; Ascanius.
3.0 Race—Sporting Piper, T. Elder; Trelissick, H. Malcolm.
3.30 Race—Too Dear, T. McNeill; Harmonic, T. Isaac.
4.0 Race—Clorinda, T. Isaac; Tremola's Rose, T. McNeill; Prince Salm, H. Malcolm; April Day, T. Elder; Murphy IV., A. Fleckner; Luncarty.
4.30 Race—Chestnut, T. McNeill; Blue Eagle, H. Malcolm.

GOLDEN KNIGHT SOLD

Golden Knight, who was disqualified after he had finished first in the Broadway Novices' 'Chase at Cheltenham last week, has been purchased by Mr. E. Bailey, and will be trained in future by R. Hobbs. Golden Knight will be ridden by his new owner in the Surrey Steeplechase at Gatwick next Wednesday.

IRISH CUP SEMI-FINALS

The draw for the Irish Cup semi-finals on April 6 is:—
Belfast Celtic v. Ballymena United. At Cliftonville, 3 o'clock.
Linfield v. Glenavon. At Grosvenor Park, 6.30.

HOCKEY

EASTER FESTIVAL STARTS WELL

HIGH STANDARD OF PLAY AT LONDONBRIDGE ROAD

Despite heavy showers in the afternoon, the Dublin Easter Festival was given a good send-off at Londonbridge road yesterday, and the whole programme of six matches was completed. In the morning Hogsheads, on paper the strongest team, beat Blue Devils, who are largely a Monkstown combination, by 6 goals to 1. The losers scored first, G. W. Beegan getting a well-worked goal after ten minutes' play, but subsequently Hogsheads had much the better of the play, and R. F. Browne, J. V. Lace and C. N. Dagg gave them a 3-1 lead at the interval. In the second half Hogsheads added three more, H. F. Sloan, Dagg and M. McGilligan doing the scoring as the result of some excellent attacking play.

The principal match in the early afternoon was between Aristocrats and Stags, which the former won 2-1. The winners got away to a better start, T. Mara and R. Power scoring inside the first twenty minutes, but G. McConnell reduced the lead before the interval. In the second period, Stags had much the better of matters, but, despite the fact that they were awarded two penalty bullies, awarded against the full-backs for stopping shots with their feet which had beaten the goalkeeper, Stags could not get the equalising goal.

In the evening, Red Devils, the Maryborough team, beat Adders by 2 goals to 1. Roark gave the losers an early lead, but Loughlin equalised in the first half, and J. O'Keeffe gave Red Devils the lead towards the end. Other results were:—
Handicaps 4 (G. Colter 2, D. Colter, W. Fry), Patricians 3 (N. McConnell 2, I. Jones).
Remnants 1 (Hanson), Amadans 0.
Stracks 3 (D. Collins 2, Sleator), Pirates 1 (H. de Lacy).

A GOOD PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY

The feature of to-day's programme is the meeting of Hogsheads and Ulidians, which should prove to be the best match of the festival. Ulidians will include the pick of the Ulster players, while Hogsheads, a mixture of Three Rock Rovers and Dublin University, will field the majority of the leading Leinster players. This match should provide first-class hockey. To-day's programme is as follows:—
11.15—Red Devils v. Stracks. Londonbridge road; Remnants v. Handicaps, Claremont road.
2.15—Pirates v. Patricians.
2.30—Hogsheads v. Ulidians.
3.45—Adders v. Aristocrats; Amadans v. Bluebirds.

BADMINTON

MIDLAND CUP SEMI-FINAL

GAS COMPANY......7 GLENAGEARY 1

Keen rivals through the season, Gas Company and Glenageary met in the semi-final of the Midland Cup at the Gas Company Hall, D'Olier street, on Thursday night. Details (Gas Company players first named):—

Men's Doubles—A. G. Trapnell and E. L. Warren beat C. H. Maidment and J. S. Wilson, 16-18, 15-7, 18-14; J. S. Brewster and W. J. Grey beat B. F. Shubotham and E. R. Maynard, 15-4, 15-12.

Women's Doubles—The Misses E. Smyth and O Poole beat the Misses N. M. and P. V. Conway, 17-16, 15-7; Mrs. A. K. Trapnell and Miss V Gillespie beat Mrs. J. S. Wilson and Miss D. Robinson, 15-7, 15-10.

Mixed Doubles—A. G. and Mrs. Trapnell lost to C. H. Maidment and Miss N. M. Conway, 10-15, 11-15; Warren and Miss Gillespie beat J. S. and Mrs. Wilson, 15-8, 15-13; Brewster and Miss Poole beat Shubotham and Miss P. V. Conway, 15-9, 15-9; Grey and Miss Smyth beat Maynard and Miss Robinson, 15-2, 15-7.

WOODBROOK CLUB

The club tournaments will be played on Tuesday and Friday next, starting at 7.30.

SQUASH RACKETS

DUBLIN BANKERS V. CORK BANKERS

The above match was played at the Bankers' Club, Dublin, and resulted in a win for Dublin by three matches to two. Results (Cork players first):—
P. A. Ryan (captain) beat J. J. Fitzsimmons—8-10, 9-0, 6-9, 9-0, 9-4.
T. Hurley beat D. D. O'Sullivan—6-9, 9-7, 9-6, 5-9, 9-3.
G. J. Mahony lost to J. O'Keeffe—6-9, 9-3, 8-10, 7-9.
T. M. Forde lost to J. Cagney—5-9, 9-6, 6-9, 6-9.
E. I. Harte-Barry lost to G. P. Ffrench—8-10, 7-9, 6-9.

GAELIC GAMES

GROCERY CUP FINALS

(By PAT'O.)

At Parnell Park yesterday Faughs and Sean McDermotts won the Grocery Cups, the former beating Young Irelands at hurling by 3-5 to 1-3, and the latter defeating Westerns at football by 6-1 to 5-1.

Sean McDermotts showed up early with goals from Thorpe, Deane and Farrell, whilst Higgins had Westerns only score, a point, in the first half. Westerns improved on turning over. Corboy (2) and Higgins had good goals, and scores were level with ten minutes to go. Thorpe's two goals for McDermotts near the end were decisive.

Duggan, O'Brien and Gleeson scored for Faughs in the first half, whilst Young Irelands were pointless. The second half provided bright hurling. The three Farrell brothers built up a winning run for Faughs, while Griffin had good points for Young Irelands, and a goal by English made it a good finish.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

Easter Hurdle, Newbury—Moonland.
Belmont Selling 'Chase, Manchester—Witch Hazel.
Home-Bred Two-Year-Old Plate, Gatwick—Wallcharm.
Long Distance Selling Plate, Liverpool—Milord l'Arsouille.
All published handicaps—Bel et Bon.
All engagements this year—Boreale II., Flood II., Rapid, and Greek Goddess.
All engagements—Love in the Mist filly, two years (dead), Gay Guy (dead), Wilderswil (dead).

GOLF

HOLIDAY FIXTURES

TO-DAY

CURRAGH—Tankard, open to country members. Draws 10.30.
DONABATE—Ladies—From 2.30—Postponed January medal, first nine holes, strokes; choose opponents.
MILLTOWN—Fourball, Stapleford.
SKERRIES—Club prize.
KILCRONE.—18 holes, strokes (ladies and men may play together), and mixed fourball, bogey.
ELM PARK—Medal, 18 holes, strokes.
DUNDALK—Open sweepstakes, strokes. Draws from 10 o'clock.
GALWAY—Scratch Cup, qualifying round.
WOODBROOK.—Open fourball, handicap limit 20. Last draw, 4.30.
CO. SLIGO—Open meeting, strokes; p.m., fourball, first bogey.
BRAY—Semi-open fourball, bogey.
SUTTON—J. E. Scott Cup.
PORTMARNOCK—Gold medal third round.

TO-MORROW

WOODBROOK—Semi-open fourball, sweepstakes.
CO. SLIGO—Open meeting—O'Connor Cup, strokes; p.m., fourball, bogey.
ST. ANNE'S—Medal strokes 18 holes.

MONDAY

MILLTOWN—Singles, strokes; p.m., mixed foursomes, bogey.
KILLINEY—Sweepstakes Scotch foursomes.
DUN LAOGHAIRE—Foursomes, strokes; p.m., fourball, bogey.
PORTMARNOCK—Foursomes strokes; p.m., fourball, bogey.
LUCAN—Monthly cup, bogey. Draws 11 to 4.
HOWTH—Fourball, bogey; p.m., surprise mixed foursomes.
HERMITAGE—Nine holes, bogey. Separate competition each nine.
CARRICKMINES—Sweepstakes, singles, bogey. Open to visitors playing with members.
DELGANY—Fourball, bogey.
CASTLE—Sweepstakes.
TULLAMORE—To 2 o'clock, open singles; afternoon, open fourball, bogey.
ROYAL DUBLIN—Semi-open fourball, bogey.
GRANGE—Strokes; time sheet; p.m., fourball.
DONABATE—Mixed foursomes.
DUNDALK—Open fourball, bogey. Draws from 10 o'clock.
GREYSTONES—Men's fourball, bogey; open to visitors. Competitors may enter as often as they like, and with different partners.
ELM PARK—Foursomes, nine holes, strokes.
CO. LOUTH—Open nine holes, strokes; p.m., mixed foursomes, 18 holes, bogey. Last draw 3.30.
CO. SLIGO—Open meeting, Connaught Bar Cup, bogey; p.m., mixed foursomes.
SUTTON—St. George's Cup, strokes, eight qualify; p.m., mixed foursomes, strokes.
DONABATE.—Mixed foursomes, flag; draws from 2.30.

CLUB NOTICES

DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Ladies—Draws for Challenge Cup—Class I.—Miss Plunkett v. Miss Hutchinson, Mrs. Croker v. Mrs. Cochrane, Mrs. O'Dwyer v. Miss P. O'Brien, Mrs. J. J. Griffin v. Miss M. Conway. Byes—Mrs. McConnell v. Miss K. Moore, Miss E. Byrne v. Miss Dowling, Miss Tyson v. Mrs. Smith, Miss C. Carroll v. Miss D. Barrett, Mrs. H. Brown v. Mrs. Lockhart, Miss McAuley v. Miss O'Neill Donnellon. Class II.—Mrs. Davis v. Mrs. Davett, Mrs. V. Connolly v. Miss L. O'Flanagan, Mrs. O'Hagan v. Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Broughton v. Mrs. O'Connor, Miss Shuley v. Mrs. Powell (A). Byes—Mrs. Crisp v. Miss D. O'Kelly, Mrs. Walters v. Mrs. Sumley, Mrs. O'Brien v. Mrs. Riddick, Mrs. Holland v. Miss B. Moore, Miss Hutton v. Mrs. O'Keeffe, Mrs. Collins v. winner of A. First round March 28th.

SUTTON.

Ladies—Tennison Collins Cup—First Round 26th March—Miss M. Walsh v. Miss Fitzpatrick, Miss V. McEntagart v. Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Miss Sibley v. Mrs. McInally, Mrs. Fitzgerald v. Miss McIntyre, Mrs. Ryan v. Mrs. Carrigan, Mrs. Deegan v. Miss M. Walsh, Mrs. O'Rourke v. Mrs. Keogh, Mrs. Hildrick v. Mrs. Quinn, Miss P. McEntagart v. Miss Birney. Byes into second round—Miss McAleenan v. Mrs. McElligott, Mrs. O'Donnell v. winner of Walsh-Fitzpatrick match, Mrs. Cotter v. Miss A. Cunningham, Miss McInally v. Miss Courtney.

RATHFARNHAM.

Ladies—26th March sweepstakes, strokes; usual draws. 29th, Miss Jamieson's prize, strokes, 9 sealed holes. Miss Griffith's prize postponed to Tuesday, 9th April. 13th April, monthly medal.

TULLAMORE.

H. L. Egan and D. D. Williams's prize—Mrs. Walshe and M. D. Power 2 down; Miss M. Mahon and E. F. Dolan, 2 down. Play off for 1st prize—V. E. Williams's prize—W. R. Williams (22), 69; A. O'Meara (9), 40½. Entries for Challenge Cup close Wednesday.

ATHY.

Officers for 1940—Captain, Dr. J. L. Kilbride; Vice-Captain, Jos. Carbery; Joint Hon. Secs., Rev. M. Crowe, C.C., and T. S. Kerrigan; Hon. Treas., J. G. O'Neill. Eclectic competition—C. S. Hartnett.

RAILWAY AND STEAM PACKET G.S.

The annual general meeting, followed by dinner, will be held in the Royal Hibernian Hotel on Thursday next. Members who intend being present are requested to notify Honorary Secretary.

LUCAN.

Ladies—Cregan Cup, March 23rd to 31st, inclusive. See notice board.

CASTLE.

Ladies—March 29th, semi-open foursomes, Scotch, strokes; arrange opponents. Draw 2.30 those not able to arrange. April 15th, 16th and 17th—Open foursomes, match play.

ELM PARK.

18 holes, foursomes—J. Smyth (16) and H. Collington (18), 68; P. Fitzpatrick (14) and J. Flanagan (24), 69; A. L. Bennett (10) and C. J. Reeves (20), 70; C. D. Foley (17) and P. McAuliffe (18), 70½.

KILLINEY.

Sweepstakes—J. J. Byrne (15) and J. A. Carey (18), 4 up; D. J. Murray (12) and W. J. McCormack (13), 4 up; A. P. Preston (11) and M. G. Murray (14), 4 up; J. J. Fitzpatrick (17) and G. W. Coghlan (18), 3 up.
Saturday, 30th—Club prizes, foursomes, strokes.

GREYSTONES.

Mixed fourball—J. Whyte (16) and Mrs. C. May (16), 7 up; J. H. Fidler (16) and Mrs. T. J. Carroll (36), 3 up; J. D. Parsons (5) and Mrs. L. G. Goode (23), all square.

MALAHIDE.

Ladies—To-morrow—Medal, 9 holes, strokes, postponed from January.

HERMITAGE.

Fourball—M. J. O'Dwyer and T. G. Moore, 76 points; J. Ryan and L. Ryan, 73; L. P. Bannon and M. H. Maher, 72; M. Hopper and W. P. Kiely, 71; M. J. O'Dwyer and T. G. Moore, 71.

TEACHERS' G.S.

At Royal Dublin—Educational Co.'s Cup—J. B. Supple (8) 74 and J. J. Redmond (13), 74. Supple won on second nine (38 nett). Mr. W. G. Fitzsimmon's prize—J. J. Redmond. Mr. G. J. Greene's prize—P. Maird (15), 76. Best gross prize—George Dunlop, 83. Best nett (second nine)—G. S. Jones (17), 38½. Fourball—M. F. Hayes (7) and R. W. Driver (11), 7 up; G. Dunlop (7) and J. Bromford (16), 4 up; M. F. Collins (12) and J. J. Redmond (13), 3 up.

KILLARNEY RESULTS

Thursday—Open fourball sweep, bogey:—T. G. Ryan and C. McCarthy (Killarney), 7 up; M. J. Duffy (Dublin) and T. Duffy (Mullingar), 4 up; C. Power (Dooks) and J. V. O'Leary (Killarney), 3 up, T. C. Kent (Killarney) and C. O'Sullivan (Killarney), 2 up; W. P. Fay (Killiney) and M. Tatten (Killarney), all square.

Yesterday—Keogh Barniville Cup, 18 holes, strokes—C. McCarthy (Killarney) (17), 70; J. H. Coolican (Portmarnock) (17), 72; best gross, Dr. William O'Sullivan (Killarney) (plus one), 74.

DUNGANNON ROYAL SCHOOL

SPEECH DAY CEREMONIES

Presiding at the Dungannon Royal School Speech Day on Wednesday last, Mr. J. W. Leebody, O.B.E., Chairman of the Board of Governors, said that war had brought the Board face to face with many problems and difficulties. They had reluctantly been compelled to make a small increase in the fees payable by both boarders and day boys, which it was hoped would meet the increased operating costs. They were entering a new epoch, in which a wider education would be all-important if their young people were to prosper, or even hold their own. It would be no economy to take boys away from school or refuse to send them to school because conditions had necessitated increased fees, but it would be wise spending to send boys to school and keep them there until they were fully equipped to face the new world.

Should evacuation of secondary school pupils from Belfast become necessary, they had made tentative arrangements to house and teach boys from the Royal Academical Institution; but, while plans were ready, it was their devout hope that they need never come into operation.

In his report, Mr. A. de Gaudin, M.A., Headmaster, said that there were on the books 122 boys—39 boarders and 83 day boys—compared with 111 this time last year. He hoped the steady rise would continue. He had, he said, introduced a period of religious instruction each week throughout the school. He wished there was encouragement from the rulers of their curriculum to make it two. In schools in the South they had three periods a week devoted to that subject. However, he hoped that every boy going right through the school would leave with some knowledge of the Bible, on which he could lay the foundation of a real Christian faith. He believed all else they did there was of little avail ultimately without that.

Professor W. B. Morton, M.A., D.Sc., Belfast, distributed the prizes and congratulated the school on its continued prosperity.

THE STANDARD OF EDUCATION

EFFECT OF TEACHING OF IRISH

The effects of the teaching of Irish on the standard of education was mentioned by Mr. Ryan, at a meeting of the County Limerick Vocational Education Committee on Thursday.

Mr. Ryan said that owing to Irish having been "forced down the throats" of the children, the standard of education was much below what it had been 30 or 35 years ago.

The discussion took place following the reception of a deputation representing part-time teachers of Irish who asked for an increase of 6d. an hour on their present allowance of 4s. 6d. Their remuneration, it was pointed out, was about £70 a year.

Mr. Ryan said that his experience was that no progress was being made with the language, and he believed that the expenditure incurred was a waste of the ratepayers' money.

The Rev. T. Wall said that if they discontinued the temporary Irish classes matters would become worse. They could see the progress that was made with the Fainne that pledged people to converse only in Irish.

Mr. Hartney said that foreign dances and films were mainly responsible for the lack of progress in the language. Until they could reach the position of looking upon the Irish language as a heritage there would not be much success.

It was agreed to accede to the teachers' request, subject to the consent of the Department.

Sheep with Five Lambs.—A ewe, the property of Mr. Thomas F. Walshe, Ballykeeffe Castle, Co. Kilkenny, has given birth to five lambs.

AMATEUR BOXING

CAMPBELL BEAT PORTORA

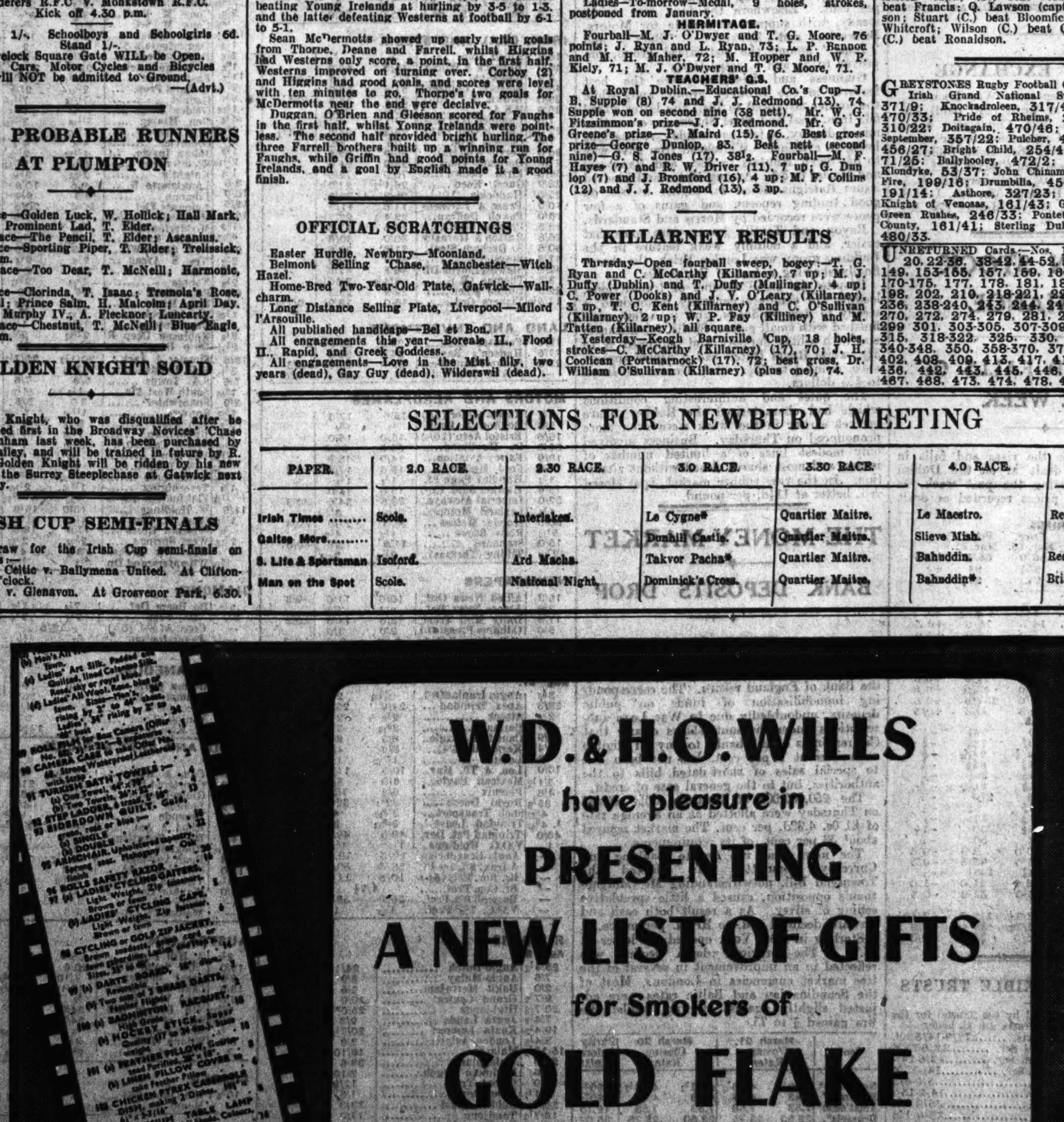
Campbell College, Belfast, defeated Portora Royal School by seven bouts to one at Campbell College. Results:—Shepperd (C.) beat Clapham; Alston (capt.) (P.) beat Stone; J. Lawson (C.) beat Francis; Q. Lawson (capt.) (C.) beat Hampson; Stuart (C.) beat Bloomfield; Davis (C.) beat Whitcroft; Wilson (C.) beat Gentleman; Tweedie (C.) beat Ronaldson.

GREYSTONES Rugby Football Club—Result of Draw, Irish Grand National Sweepstake:—Clonhugh, 371/9; Knockadroleen, 317/42; Mac's Cottage, 470/33; Pride of Rheims, 211/16; Baykora, 310/22; Doitagain, 470/46; Birthgift, 251/42; September, 357/22; Pulcher, 470/16; The Field, 456/27; Bright Child, 254/47; Lough Cottage, 71/25; Ballyhooley, 472/2; Hebridean, 186/3; Klondyke, 53/37; John Chinnaman, 450/35; Cabin Fire, 199/16; Drumbilla, 450/2; Jack Chancer, 191/14; Asthore, 327/23; Workman, 352/5; Knight of Venosas, 161/43; Golden Star, 372/9; Green Rushes, 246/33; Pontet, 395/48; Clare County, 161/41; Sterling Duke, 150/31; Russ, 480/33.

UNRETURNED Cards.—Nos. 1-7, 9, 10, 12-17, 20, 22-36, 38-42, 44-52, 54-70, 72-99, 101-149, 153-155, 157, 159, 160, 162, 163, 168, 170-175, 177, 178, 181, 184, 185, 193-196, 198, 202, 210, 218-221, 225-229, 231, 235, 236, 238-240, 243, 244, 247, 250, 256, 267, 270, 272, 274, 279, 281, 287-290, 292-296, 299, 301, 303-305, 307-309, 311, 312, 314, 315, 318-322, 325, 330, 332, 334, 338, 340-348, 350, 358-370, 373-389, 394, 397-402, 408, 409, 413, 417, 419-425, 431, 435, 436, 442, 443, 445, 446, 451, 453, 457, 467, 468, 473, 474, 478, 481.

SELECTIONS FOR NEWBURY MEETING

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.	4.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Scola.	Interlaken.	Le Cygne*	Quartier Maitre.	Le Maestro.	Red Rower.
Galtee More			Dunhill Castle.	Quartier Maitre.	Slieve Mish.	
S. Life & Sportsman	Isoford.	Ard Macha.	Takvor Pacha*	Quartier Maitre.	Bahuddin.	Red Rower.
Man on the Spot	Scola.	National Night.	Dominick's Cross.	Quartier Maitre.	Bahuddin*	Brian Boru.



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DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

BANK OF IRELAND STILL DULL

LEADING INDUSTRIALS HARDER

The approaching Easter holidays had a restricting influence on trading on the Dublin Stock Exchange on Thursday, but despite the lack of interest prices held up remarkably well and even inclined higher in places.

Home Government Funds were unchanged, apart from the Third National Loan, which gave way to 104¼. British Funds eased the turn, and of Banks, Bank of Ireland Stock fell a further point to 270.

Guinness units shaded off to 77s. 6d. Rails remained quiet, but where quoted presented a steady appearance. Dublin Tram Ord. and Alliance Gas Ord. repeated their previous levels. Merchants Warehousing Ord. added pence, while other local Industrials looked mostly buyers in nominal markings.

Coats Ord. eased to 35s. 4½d., but Courtaulds moved up to 36s. B.A.T. Ord. advanced 1s. 4½d. to 101s. 6d., and Imperial Tobaccos gained pence at 119s. 9d. Dunlop Rubbers moved up to 32s. 9d., while Shell Transport Ord. and Imperial Chemical Ord. were just the turn harder.

The Dublin Stock Exchange will be closed on Monday next, the 25th inst.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.
4½% Third National Loan ......(104½) *104¼
3½% Fourth Loan ......(94) 94b 94½a
3¾% Financial Agreement ......(97½) 97½
4% Exchequer Bonds ......(102½) 102½
4½% Land Bonds ......(111) 111b
Do. (under £200) ......(110¾) 110⅞
4% Land Bonds ......(99½) 99½
Do. Immature ......(97¼) *97½

BRITISH FUNDS.
2½% Consols ......(72½) 72⅛
3½% War Loan ......(98½) 98⅞
Guar. 3% 1939 Stock ......(86⅝) 86¼

CORPORATION STOCKS.
Dublin 4¼% 1955/77 ......(96) *96

BANKS.
Bank of Ireland ......(271) *270 270
Munster and Leinster ......(103/6) 103/6b
National ......(40/6) 40/6b 41/-a
Royal ......(10⅝) 10⅝a

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.
Dublin Distillers Ord. ......(1/9) 1/9b 2/-a
Guinness Ord. ......(77/9) 77/6 77/6

SHIPPING.
Coast Lines 6% Convert. Pref. (16/-) 15/6b 16/-a

RAILS, TRAMS, ETC.
Great Northern Ord. ......(3½) 3½
Do Pref. ......(7) 7
Great Southern Pref. ......(11) 10b
Do. Guar. ......(30) 30b 32a
Do. Deb. ......(50) *50
Dublin Tram Ord. ......(9/9) *9/9
Do. Pref. ......(18/9) 18/6b

GAS.
Alliance Gas Ord. ......(22/10½) 22/10½

BAKERY AND MILLING.
Ranks (Ireland) Pref. ......(23/3) 23/-b 23/6a

DRAPERIES.
Crowe Wilson Pref. ......(17/6) 17/9
Pim Bros. Deb. ......(50½) 50½

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.
Carroll Ord. ......(22/-) 22/-
Do. Pref. ......(22/6) 23/-a
Cement Pref. ......(24/6) 24/6
Dublin Artisans' Dwellings ......(10¾) 10¾b
Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord. ......(8/7½) 8/10½b
Goulding Pref ......(22/-) 22/-b
Do. Deb. ......(96/6) 96/6b
Independent Pref. ......(27/-) 26/6b
Irish-American Oil Pref. ......(19/7½) 19/7½b
Irish Dunlop Pref. ......(26/-) 25/6b 26/-a
Irish Shell Pref. ......(19/8) 19/7½b
Irish Sugar Pref. ......(20/-) 19/9b 20/3a
Merchants' Warehousing Ord. ......(42/-) 42/6
Smyth and Co. Ord. ......(15/-) 15/-a
Thom (Alex.) Deb. ......(88⅜) *88⅞

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.
B.A.T. Ord. ......(100/1½) 101/6
Coats (J. and P.) Ord. ......(35/6) 35/4½ 35/4½
Courtaulds Ord. ......(35/9) 35/9b 36/1½a
Dunlop Rubbers ......(32/6) *32/9
Imperial Chemical Ord. ......(31/6) 31/-b 31/6a
Imperial Tobacco Ord. (119/3) 119/3b 120/3a
Ind Coope 6½% Pref. 30/-
London Brick Ord. 29/9
Shell Transport Ord. ......(79/-) 78/6b 79/6a
Union Cold Storage 6% Pref. ......(22/1½) 22/-
Vickers Ord. ......(18/7½) 18/-b 18/6a

*Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash.
(Previous prices are given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate (changed October 26, 1939) ...... 3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred 3 %
Deposits under £2,000 ...... 1 %
Deposits of £2,000 and over 1½%

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

BELFAST EXCHANGE

Three-and-a-Half per cent. War Loan 98¼, 98⅞; 3 per cent. War Loan (£10 paid) 9⅛; Consols 2½ per cent. 72⅞, Conversion 5 per cent. 109⅞, Belfast Corporation 5 per cent., 1946-56 106¼, Courtaulds 36s., Bank Buildings Ord. 17s. 6d., Robinson and Cleaver Pref. 18s. 1½d., Robert Watsons 10⅛, Gallahers 5⅛, B.A. Tobaccos 102s. 9d., Dunlops 33s. 3d., L.M.S. 4 per cent. Pref. 64, Morris Motors 27s. 3d., Great Boulder Props. 8s.

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE

RISES AND FALLS OF THE WEEK

The following are the rises and falls in stocks and shares dealt in on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the past week, as compared with the prices recorded or dealt in on March 15.

RISES.	Price, Mar. 15.	Price, Mar. 21.	
Distillers Ord.	66/0	66/9	+0/3
4th Nat. Loan	93¾	94	+¼
Fin. Agree. Loan	97	97½	+½
Dub. Tram. 3½% Mort. Deb.	84¼	85¼	+1
Ranks (I.) Ord.	15/3	15/6	+0/3
Pim Bros. Pref.	3/0	5/0	+2/0
Carroll Ord.	21/6	22/0	+0/6
Cement Pref.	24/3	24/6	+0/3
Hammond Lane Pref.	20/0	20/9	+0/9
Independent Pref.	26/6	27/6	+0/6
M. W'housing Ord.	42/0	42/6	+0/6
B.A.T. Ord.	101/0	101/6	+0/6
E. Sew. Cot. Ord.	30/3	30/6	+0/3
FALLS.			
4 p.c. Land Bonds	100	99½	−½
Consols	72½	72¼	−¼
War Loan	98¹¹⁄₁₆	98⅞	−⅛
Irish Land Stk. 2¾ p.c.	86¼	85½	−¾
Irish Land Stk., 1909.	86½	86¼	−¼
Irish Land Stk., 1903.	81⅝	81⅞	−[illegible]
Bank of Ireland	273	270	−3
Hibernian Bank	9½	9¼	−¼
Gt. Southern Pref.	11½	11	−½
Gt. Southern Guar.	31½	30	−1½
Gt. Southern Deb.	52	50	−2
Dublin Tram Ord.	10/0	9/9	−0/3
Rank (I.) Pref.	23/6	23/3	−0/3
Cement Deb.	105½	105¼	−¼
Irish Tanners Pref.	22/0	21/0	−1/0
Dunlop Rubber Ord.	33/0	32/9	−0/3
Imperial Tobacco of Gt. Britain & Ireland Ord.	122/1½	119/3	−2/10½
Coats Ord.	36/1½	35/4½	−0/9
Courtaulds Ord.	36/0	35/9	−0/3

FIXED AND FLEXIBLE TRUSTS

The latest prices (supplied by the Trusts) for the sub-units of the following Trusts are as under:—

British Ind. Fixed Trust Certs. ......12/9-14/3 x.d.
Brit. Ind. Fxd. Tr. Cts., 2nd Ser. 12/6-13/6
Brit. Ind. Fxd. Tr. Cts., 3rd Ser. 12/6-14/-
Brit. Ind. Fxd. Tr. Cts., 4th Ser. 14/-16/6
Domestic Investment Trust 5/9-6/3
Electrical Industries Trust 14/9-16/-
First British Fixed Trust ......36/9 bid
Second British Fixed Trust ......22/6 bid
Third British Fixed Trust ......19/3 bid
Fourth British Fixed Trust 16/-16/7½
Foreign Govt. Bond Trust ......11/3-12/3 x.d.
Gilt Edged Fixed Trust Certs. 17/-17/6
Gold Prod. Fxd., 3rd Series 12/1½-13/7½
Hundred Secur. Tr. Sub-Units 13/9-15/3
Investors Flexible ......10/3-11/6 x.d.
Invest. Gas and Electric Trust 11/4½-12/4½
Invest. General Fxd. Tr. Cts. 14/7½-15/7½
Investors Gold Share Trust ......15/4½-16/4½ x.d.
Investors 2nd General Trust 10/9-11/9
Keystone Flexible Certs. 12/3-13/3
Keystone Cons. 11/4½-12/10½
Keystone Gold 11/3-12/3
Limited Investment Fund 16/3-17/6
Midland and Sthn. Inv. Fund 17/3-18/-
National Fixed Trust C ......15/7½-16/7½ x.d.
National Fixed Trust D 13/6-14/6
Provident Investment Trust ......9/4½-10/4½ x.d.
Trust of Bank Shares 16/3-17/-
Trust of Bank and In. Shares 16/3-17/-
Trust of Insurance Shares 16/6-17/9
Invest Trust 10/6-11/6
Cornhill Sub. 20/1½-21/1½
Cornhill Def. 7/9-8/9

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Thursday Night.

STOCKS AND SHARES:

London very quiet.
Dublin idle.
Manchester inactive.
Birmingham firm.
New York irregular.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate ...... 2 %
Last Year ...... 2 %
Irish Bank Rate ...... 3 %
Silver (spot) ...... 20¹¹⁄₁₆d.
Price of Gold 168/-

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

MOST MOVEMENTS FAVOUR HOLDERS

FRENCH ISSUES HESITANT ON POLITICS

The pre-holiday session on the London Stock Markets passed off very quietly, but, while the few dealers in attendance found little to occupy their attention, the undertone in most directions continued steady, and the majority of the small movements recorded were in favour of holders.

Interest in gilt-edged securities was virtually non-existent, and with sellers absent jobbers were satisfied to leave quotations around their previous closing levels throughout the day. Here and there attempts were made to raise prices, but the only improvement on balance was that of ⅛ to 111⅛ in Funding Fours. The new War Loan held at ⅛ discount.

In the Foreign section French issues became somewhat hesitant on the political news, but finally were little changed. Other Europeans also concluded on a steady note. Brazilian Bonds found a place among the more favoured issues and the Funding of 1914 further advanced to 33⅞. Far Easterns lacked support and leading Japanese descriptions displayed an easier appearance.

British Rails were barely tested during the opening stages, but subsequently occasional inquiries enabled the market to strengthen in places. The improving tendency was chiefly noticeable in London Transport issues. Turnover in other Rail groups was negligible, and, apart from a further rise to 8⅞ in Canadian Pacific, prices showed little of interest.

Industrials were far from active, but at the same time the market claimed much of the available support, and, although movements seldom assumed significant proportions, a number of the principal counters gave a good account of themselves.

Mines generally experienced inactive conditions, but Kaffirs were the turn better where changed; the whole group deriving stimulus from a modest inquiry for some of the dividend-payers. West Africans also had one or two small improvements, and Rhodesian Coppers, although quiet, made progress in response to the good results announced by two of the leading companies.

INDUSTRIALS, OILS AND RUBBERS

HALVING OF DIVIDEND HITS ELECTRIC SHARE

Quiet conditions, with irregular price movements, characterised the Industrial market. A weak feature was provided by Isle of Thanet Electric Supply Ord. Shares, which were marked down from 15s. 6d. to 13s. 9d. following the halving of the dividend to 2 per cent. Elsewhere the tone was fairly steady, with support noticeable for Motors, Breweries and Tobaccos. "Bats" and "Imps," among the last-named group, improved to 5¼ and 6, respectively.

Guinness and Distillers were the best features in the Brewery group, and, while the former advanced to 78s., the latter added 6d. Iron, Coal and Steel Shares gave a rather mixed display, a few pre-holiday realisations being in evidence. Whitehead Iron gave way to 3⅞, Swan Hunters to 38s., and Ransomes and Marles to 3³⁄₁₆. Among Motor and kindred issues Raleighs closed 1s. higher at 50s. on good trading reports, and gains of a few pence were recorded by Morris and Standards.

Rayon and Textile issues were somewhat easier, and a notably weak feature in the Building group was London Brick, the shares finally showing a loss of 2s. at 29s.

Despite the small volume of transactions, leading Oil counters generally maintained a steady to firm tendency, and in a few cases finished with small gains. Shells, for instance, met with a little support, and improved ¹⁄₁₆ to 3⅞, while Royal Dutch had a firmer appearance, rising ½ to 32¼. Shell Unions advanced to 13¼ dollars.

The quiet and uninteresting conditions which had characterised the Rubber Share market earlier in the week were even more pronounced on Thursday. Business involved only modest lines of a limited number of issues, and most shares closed without alteration. In the raw rubber market, spot closed ¹⁄₁₆d. better at 11½d. per pound.

THE MONEY MARKET

BANK DEPOSITS DROP

Credit conditions remained exceptionally comfortable, notwithstanding the drop of £15,917,000 in bankers' deposits shown by the Bank of England return. The corresponding immobilisation of funds on public deposits, undoubtedly due to War Loan subscriptions under discount, shows clearly that the readiness of the banks to buy all eligible maturities at 1 per cent. has not been due to special sales of short-dated bills to the authorities, but to the general ease of credit.

The £50,000,000 of Treasury bills offered on Thursday were allotted at an average rate of £1 0s. 4.92d. per cent. The market secured about 38 per cent. of its requirements.

The news that the Senate Banking and Currency Committee has adopted the Townsend Bill, notwithstanding Mr. Morgenthau's opposition, caused a little speculative selling of silver. As a result both cash and forward declined ¹⁄₁₆d. to 20¹¹⁄₁₆d. per ounce.

Sterling in New York opened ⅛c. lower at $3.71. The previous day's decline was reflected in an improvement in several of the free market currencies in London. Most of the Scandinavian and Baltic rates were adjusted slightly against sterling, whilst the lira gained ½ to 73.

Centre	March 21. Closing Rates		March 20. Closing Rates		Parity before 3/9/39
New York*	4.02½	4.03½	4.02½	4.03½	4.86⅔
Montreal*	4.43	4.47	4.43	4.47	4.86⅔
Amst'dam*	7.53	7.58	7.53	7.58	12.10
Brussels*	23.80	23.75	23.60	23.75	35.00
Copenh'g'n	19⅛	19⅞	19¼	19⅛	18.16
Geneva*	17.65	17.95	17.65	17.95	25.22
Madrid	38¼ sellers		38¼ sellers		25.22
Milan	72½	73¼	73	74½	92.46
Oslo*	17.65	17.75	17.65	17.75	18.15
Paris*	176½	176¾	176½	176¾	124.21
Stockholm*	16.85	16.95	16.85	16.90	18.15
Alexandria	97½	97⅞	97½	97⅞	97.5
Athens	[illegible] sellers		[illegible] sellers		375
Belgrade	225	265	225	265	[illegible]
Lisbon	107	109	107	109	110
B. Ayres	16.95	17.20	16.95	17.20	47.577
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

*Rates fixed by Bank of England. All others are free market rates.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

*Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum. div. ‖ Ex bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	72⅛	72½	
Do. 4%	107½	107¾	
3½% War Loan	98⅞	99⅛	
Funding Loan	111⅛	111⅜	+⅛
Victory Bonds	108¾	109	
3% Conversion Loan	100¼	100½	
3½% do.	97⅞	97¹⁵⁄₁₆	
4½% do.	101¼	102	
5% do.	109⅞	110⅛	−⅛
2¾% Land (1903)	81	83	
I.F.S. 4½% Land Bonds	110	112	
India 3½%	81½	82½	
Do. 2½%	94½	96½	
Local Loans	84½	84¾	
National Def. 2½%	99½	99¾	

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Australia 5% 1945-75	105¾	106¾	
Do. 4% 1955-70	104	105	
Do. 3¾% 1948-53	99	102	
Canada 4% 1940-60	100¼	101¼*	
N.S.W. 5% 1945-65	105¾	106¾	
Do. 4% 1942-62	99½	100½	
New Zealand 5% 1959-55	89	90	
Do. 3½% 1955-60	95	99*	
Nigeria 6%	117	118	
Queensland 5% 1940-60	100	102	
S. African 3% 1954-64	93	94	
Do. 3½% 1955-65	100	101	
S. Australian 5% 1945-75	105½	106½	
Do. 4% 1940-60	99½	100½	
Victoria 4% 1940-60	99½	100½	
Do. 5% 1945-75	105½	106½	
W. Australian 5% 1945-75	105½	106½	
Do. 4% 1942-62	99½	100½	

FOREIGN STOCKS

Aug. 31				
10½	Braz. 6½% S.B. '27		17⅜	−⅛
15	Do. 5% Fund. '98		37¼	+¼
80	Chinese 4½% '98		87	
21	Do. 5% 1913		27½	
52	Czecho-Slov. Bds.		51	
66	Egyptian Unified	77	80	
10¼	French Ln. 4%		9¾	
49	German Potash		28½	+½
39	Japan 6% 1924		54½	−½
—	Brazil 5% Fg. '14	33⅞		+⅛
—	Ch.5% Reorg. '13	36½		−⅛

BRITISH RAILS.

Aug. 31.				
26	Great Western	45¾	46¾	
80	Do. 5% Pref.	99	101	
11⅛	L.M.S. Ord.	20⅞	21⅜	−⅛
51½	Do. 4% Pref.	63	65	+½
77½	Do 5% Red. Pf.	88	92	
36½	Do 4% Pf. '23.	51½	53½	
4	L.N.E. 5% Pf.Ord.	6¼	6¾	
3	Do. Def. Ord.	3	3½	−⅛
29½	Do. 4% 1st Pf.	49½	51½	
9½	Do. 4% 2nd Pf.	18½	19½	
107	Lon.Tran. 5% "A"	116	119	+1
103	Do. 4½% "A"	108	111	
102	Do. "B"	106	109	+1
66	Do. "C"	42½	44½	
56	Southern Pf. Ord.	69	71	
11¼	Do. Def. Ord.	20½	21	
80	Do. 5% Pref.	99	101	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS

32	Arg. Gt. W 5% Db.	44½	46½	
50½	B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	65	67	
6½	Buenos Ayres G.S.	8	9	
49	Do. 4% Deb.	66	68	
56½	B.A. & Pac. 4% Db.	70	72	
29	Do. Con 4½% Db	43½	45½	+1
5¼	Buenos A. & West.	6½	7½	
40½	Do. 4% Deb.	64	66	
4	Canadian Pacific	8⅛	8⅞	+¼
62½	Do. 4% Deb.	86	89	
49	Cent. Arg. 4% Deb	67	69	
50	Do. 5% Db. 79-81	76	78	
53½	Cord. Cen. 1st Deb	72	74	
89	Gd. Tr'k 4% Guar	100	103	
21½	San Paulo Ord.	39	43	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	New York Centl.	18	20	+1
—	Southern Common	17¼	19¼	−¼

BANKS.

Bank of England	337	343	
Bank of Montreal	44	48	
Barclay "A"	9¼	10	
Lloyds	50/9	51/9	+0/3
Martins £20 (£2½ paid)	7⅜	8	
Midland	8½	8¹¹⁄₁₆	
Nat. Prov. (£5 14/- pd.)	44/0	46/6	
Standard of South Africa	13⅛	14	
Westminster	3¼	3½	
Do £4 (£1 paid)	77/6	79/6	

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

6¹⁄₁₆	Bass-Ratcliff Ord	124/0	126/0	
17/0	Brewers of Van.	20/0	22/6	
93/0	Distillers Ord.	67/6	68/6	+0/6
93/9	Guinness Ord.	77/0	79/0	+0/6
4⅛	Ind Coope Allsopp	71/0	73/0	
60/0	Watney Combe Rf	50/0	51/6	
—	Wkr.(P.)&R.Co.Or.	19/6	20/6	+0/3

DRAPERY AND STORES.

11/6	Burton (M.) Ord	10/9	11/9	
16/6	Gamage (A. W.)	14/0	15/0	+0/3
51/0	Harrods	37/0	38/0	−0/3
2⁹⁄₃₂	Marks & Spcr.(5/-)	51/3	52/3	
21/3	O.K. Bazaars "A"	25/0	27/6	
62/6	Woolworth Ord.	65/0	66/0	+0/3

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENTS.

39/0	Assoc. El. Indus.	41/9	42/3	
17/9	Crompton Park.	19/3	19/3	
34/6	English Elec.	32/6	33/6	+0/3
18/0	Ever Ready (5/-)	26/6	27/6	
75/0	General Electric	80/0	81/0	
16/0	Henley's Tel. (5/-)	20/0	21/0	+0/3
21/6	Siemens	22/6	23/6	−0/3

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

29/6	City of London	25/6	27/6	
30/0	County of London	38/6	39/6	
23/0	Edmundsons	25/3	26/3	
—	North Eastern	29/6	30/6	−0/6

INSURANCE.

22	Alliance New	23½	24½	
25	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£2 paid)	25	26	
17⅛	Pearl (£1)	14¾	15¼	
12	Phœnix £10(£1 p)	14	15	
31	Prudential	25½	26½*	
8	Royal Exchange	7½	8	
7¼	Royal £1 (10/- p.)	7⅞	8⅛	
75/6	Sun £1 (5/- pd.)	75/0	77/0	

IRON, COAL AND STEEL.

16/3	Allied Iron	⅝	¾	
46/0	Babcock & Wilcox	45/9	46/9	
5/3	Baldwins	5/3	5/6	+0/3
43/9	Bolsover Colliery	51/6	52/6	
28/0	Brown (J.) (10/-)	32/3	33/3	−0/1½
26/6	B.S.A.	20/9	21/3	
7/0	Cammell L'rd (5/-)	7/1½	7/1½	
22/0½	Colville Ord. (£1)	23/3	24/6	−0/1½
7/4	Consett Iron	7/6	8/0	
86/0	Cory (William)	85/0	86/9	
27/0	Dorman, Long	23/9	24/9	
66/3	Firth, Brown	70/0	72/6*	
26/0	Guest, Keen	26/1½	27/0½	
25/0	Hadfields (10/-)	25/3	26/3	
10/0	Pease & Partners	11/6	11/9	
16/0	Powell Duffryn	22/4½	22/7½	
16/3	Pressed Steel	16/6	17/6	
26/6	Ruston & Hornsby	30/0	30/6	
30/6	S. Durham Steel	31/6	32/6	
41/3	Staveley	51/9	52/9	
42/9	Stewts&Lloyds Df.	46/3	47/6	
3/3	Thomas (R.)	3/4½	3/10½	
22/6	United Steel	22/9	23/3	
17/4½	Vickers Ord.	18/0	18/9*	−0/1½

LAND AND INVESTMENT

15/6	Forestal Land	25/0	26/0	
17/6	Hudson's Bay	24/6	25/6	
23/3	Sudan Plantations	32/0	33/0	−0/3
—	Pekin Syndicate.	24/6	25/6	−0/6

MOTORS AND AEROPLANES

1⅜	Austin Motor (5/-)	16/6	17/6	
5/6	Boulton & Paul	¼	⅜	
16/6	Bristol Aero (10/-)	15/0	16/0	
36/0	De Havilland	35/0	36/0	
18/9	Fairey Aviation	14/9	15/9	
16/6	Ford Motors	16/6	17/6	+0/3
1⅛	Handley Page Pf.	1¼	1⅜	
15/6	Hawker Sidd. (5/-)	13/0	14/0	
32/0	Imperial Airways	33/6	34/6	+0/3
4⅜	Leyland Motors	3¹¹⁄₁₆	3¹⁵⁄₁₆	
30/6	Morris Motors	26/6	27/6	+0/3
5⅛	Rolls Royce	4½	4⅝	
15/0	Standard	11/9	12/6	+0/3
2⅞	Tilling (Thomas)	2¹⁄₁₆	2³⁄₁₆	

NEWSPAPERS

15/3	Allied News Ord.	10/6	11/6	−0/3
7/0	Assoc. News Def.	6/3	7/3	
17/6	Daily Mail Trust	13/6	14/6	+0/3
5/0	Odhams Press(4/-)	2/0	3/0	
—	"D. Mirror" Ord.	7/0	8/0	+0/3

OILS

Aug. 31.				
3⅛	Anglo-IranianOrd.	2¹⁵⁄₃₂	2²⁹⁄₃₂	
23/3	Apex Trinidad	24/9	25/9	−0/3
2⅝	Attock	2⅛	2⅜	
3¼	Burmah	3⁹⁄₃₂	3⅜	
7/9	Canadian Eagle	8/0	8/6	
3/4½	Kern Oil (3/4)	3/6	4/0	
1⁹⁄₁₆	Lobitos	1²³⁄₃₂	1⅞	
10/0	Lon. & Tn. Nav.	10/3	11/3	
5/1½	Mexican Eagle	6/0	6/6	−0/1½
4/6	Phœnix	6/3	7/3	+0/3
35⅛	Royal Dutch	32¼	32¾	+½
4⅝	Shell Transport	3⅞	4	+¹⁄₁₆
4⁹⁄₃₂	Trinidad Lease.	3¹⁵⁄₃₂	3²⁵⁄₃₂	+¹⁄₁₆
46/0	Trinidad Pet. Dev.	46/0	49/0	−0/9
1	V.O.C. Holdings	1⅛	1⁵⁄₁₆	
—	Anglo-Ecuadorian	19/3	19/9	−0/3
—	A-Iran. 8% 1st Pf.	28/3	30/3	−0/3
—	Br. Bor. Pet. (6/-)	10/3	11/3	−0/3
—	Br. Con. Pref.	4/7½		−0/1½
—	Burmah 8% Pref.	36/0	38/0	−0/6
—	V.O.C. 7% Pref.	1⅛	1¼	−⅛

RUBBERS

Aug. 31.			
23/4½	Anglo-Dutch	24/1½	+0/1½
7/6	Anglo-Malay	8/0	
2/0	Bukit Mertajam	2/6	
9/7½	Grand Central	10/0	
20/7½	Highlands	25/0*	
7/4½	Jugra Lands	9/3	
19/4½	Kuala Lumpur	20/7½	−0/4½
3/4½	London Asiatic	3/6	
16/10½	Malacca	16/10½	
27/0	Malayalam	33/6	
2/6	Pataling	2/10½	
11/0	Ocean Trust	12/9	
1/1½	Rambutan	1/6	
20/0	Rubber Trust	23/3	
17/7½	Tandjong	17/0	
19/0	Tandjong Malim	19/0	−0/3
45/3	United Sua Betong	53/1½	
6/4½	Vallambrosa	6/3	

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REFRESHMENT AND FOOD

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SHIPPING

8/0	Coast Lines	10/3	11/3	
5¼	Clan Line	5⅞	6⅛	
3/1½	R.D. Realisation.	1/3	2/3	
18/3	Furness Withy	20/0	21/0	+0/3
18/0	P.&O. Def. (£1)	21/0	22/0	+0/3
3/1½	R.M. Realisation	2/6	3/0	

TEAS.

Ceylon Plant		1⅛	+¹⁄₁₆
Doom Dooma		5⅛	−¹⁄₁₆

TEXTILES AND ART. SILK

2/4½	Bleachers	4/6	5/0	
3/0	Bradford Dyers	5/3	5/9	
6/0	British Celanese	8/0	8/6	−0/3
4/0	Calico Printers	6/7½	7/1½	
3½	Cas. Celanese	7⅛	7½	+⅛
29/0	Coats	35/0	35/9	−0/3
28/9	Courtaulds	36/0	36/6	
25/7½	Eng. Sew Cotton	30/9	31/9	
2/6	Fine Spinners	5/3	5/9	
4/0	Lister Ord.	6/3	7/0	
2⁵⁄₁₆	Patons & Baldwins	59/6	60/6	
—	Bradford Drs. Pf.	11/3	12/0	−0/3
—	Jute Indus. Pf.	4/6	5/0	−0/1½
—	Whitworth Mitchell	13/6	14/6	+0/3

TOBACCOS

4¹⁵⁄₁₆	Brit. Amer. Tob.	5¹⁄₁₆	5¼	+¹⁄₁₆
6¼	Carreras "A"	5⅝	6⅛	
15/3	Do. "B" (2/6)	14/0	15/0	
6¼	Gallaher	5¼	5¾	
6⁷⁄₁₆	Imp. Tobacco	5⅞	6	
3⅝	Do. Canada	3¼	3½	
2⅜	Tobacco Tst. Ord.	2½	3	
—	Cope Bros.	47/6	50/0	−0/7½
—	Godfrey Phillips	5⅛	6⅛	+⅛

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES

0/10½	Baird Tel. Pref.	0/1½	0/7½	
1/1½	Do. Def.	0/1½	0/7½	
84	C.&W'less 5½% Pf.	95½	96½	
48	Do New Ord	60½	61½	
97	Do 4% Funded	98	101	
29/0	Marconi Marine	29/0	29/9	
5⅛	Radio Corp.	6⅞	7⅛	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS

3⁹⁄₁₆	Assoc. Cement	2⅛	2½*	−⅛
10/3	Assoc. Brit. Pic.	8/0	9/0	
29/0	Beecham's Pills	1⅝	1¹¹⁄₁₆	
7/9	Do Def. (5/-)	8/0	8/6	
42/3	Boots Pure Drug	42/3	43/3	
20/3	Borax Con. Def.	27/0	28/0	
7¼	Brazilian Traction	10⅛	10⅞	
2¹³⁄₁₆	Brit. Aluminium	51/6	53/6*	
34/0	British Match	35/6	36/6	−0/3
39/3	Brit. Oil & Cake	2	2⅛*	
3⅝	Brit. Oxygen Ord	3⅛	3⅜	
27/6	Brit. Plaster Bd.	20/6	21/6	
3¹⁵⁄₁₆	Brit. Portland C'm	2¹⁵⁄₁₆	3⅛	−⅛
24/0	Brit. P. & Light	27/6	29/6	
8⁵⁄₁₆	Cerebos Ord.	8⅛	8⁵⁄₁₆	
10/7½	Crittal's Mfg.	6/3	7/3	
27/0	Dunlop Rubber	33/0	33/6	+0/3
25/0	Eastwoods	¾	⅞	
9/4½	Elec. & Musical	8/3	9/0	
1⅛	Do. 6% Pref.	1⅛	1³⁄₁₆	
2⁵⁄₁₆	Finlay (James)	2⁹⁄₃₂	2¹¹⁄₃₂	
9/0	Harland & Wolff	13/3	14/3	+0/1½
29/4½	Imp. Chemicals	31/3	31/9	+0/1½
9/6	Imp. Smelting	13/0	13/6	
5¹¹⁄₁₆	Int. Combustion	5⅝	6⅛	
53½	Internat. Nickel	46	46½	
32/6	Lever Bros. Ord.	31/6	32/6	−0/3
33/0	Lever N.V. Ord.	1½	1⅝	
32/9	London Brick	28/6	29/6	−1/0
3⅝	Murex	4	4⅛	
8/0	Pye Radio Def.	7/6	8/0	
5⅛	Reckitt Ord.	5⅛	5⅜	
59/3	Spillers Ord.	59/6	60/6	
62/6	Tate & Lyle	54/6	55/6	+0/6
32/6	Triplex Glass	23/6	24/6	+0/3
87/0	Tube Invest.	93/0	94/0	
4	Turner & Newall	65/6	66/6	
23/6	United Molasses	26/0	26/6	
1⅝	White Tomkins	1⅛	1¼	+⅛
—	Lever 8%	1⅛	1¹⁄₁₆	−¹⁄₁₆
—	Ste. Madeleine Sug.	⅛	¼	−¹⁄₁₆
—	WigginsTeapeOrd.	1⅛	1¼	+¹⁄₁₆

RISE IN RHODESIAN COPPER SHARES

GOLD MINING STOCKS LITTLE CHANGED

Interest in Mining shares was negligible. The tendency remained steady in the absence of any serious attempt to offer stock, but quotations were rarely materially tested. There was hardly a quotable movement throughout the Kaffir list. Union Corporation, however, provided a notably good feature, the shares being marked up ⅛ to 7⁵⁄₁₆.

Other Gold shares were as equally subdued. W. Africans moved very narrowly, but, among Australians, Mount Morgan were again being picked up and further hardened to 8s. 6d. Diamonds were inclined to lose ground in desultory trading. Tin shares remained off colour, fresh losses of 6d. apiece occurring in Siamese at 25s., Ayer Hitam at 22s. 5d., Renong at 36s. 3d. and Sungei Besi at 22s.

On the appearance of the Roan and Mufulira half-yearly results, Rhodesian Coppers made some headway. Rhoanglo rallied to 19s. 7½, Roan were 4½d. up at 15s. 4½d., and R.S.T. advanced to 13s. 6d. Rhokana, however, were unchanged at 10, although the market was not acquainted with the news of the strike. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN

Aug. 31.				
1⅛	Anglo-A. Corp.	1⅛	1¹¹⁄₁₆	
1	Anglo-French	⅞	1⅛	
7/0	Blyvoor (10/-)	6/9	7/3	
2⅜	Brakpan	2⅛	2¼	
14½	Cent. Mining	14	14½	
2	City Deep	2⅛	2½	
2¹⁵⁄₁₆	Cons. Goldfields	2½	2⅝	+¹⁄₃₂
3⅛	Cons. M. Reef	3⅛	3⅝	
2⅝	Cons. M. Sel.	2⅛	2½	
15¹¹⁄₁₆	Crown Mines	13⅛	13¾	
1⅞	Daggafontein 5/-	2	2	
2⅞	Durban Deep	2²⁹⁄₃₂	2³¹⁄₃₂	
2⅛	E. Daggafontein	29/6	30/6	
11⅛	East Geduld	10¹¹⁄₁₆	10¹³⁄₁₆	
2⅞	E. Rand Prop.	2⁹⁄₁₆	2¹⁹⁄₃₂	−¹⁄₃₂
8⅛	Geduld	7¹¹⁄₁₆	7¹⁵⁄₁₆	
1⅝	Golden Deep	1⅜	1⅞	
4⅛	Gen. Mining	3¹¹⁄₁₆	3¹⁵⁄₁₆	
5¼	Govt. Areas	4⅝	4⅞	
4	Grootvlei	4⅛	4⅜	
1⅜	Johan. Invest.	1⅝	1⅞	
2¹³⁄₁₆	Kleinfontein	2²⁹⁄₃₂	2³¹⁄₃₂	
1⅞	Knight's	1⅜	1⅝	
1⅝	Langlaagte E.	9/6	10/6	
10/0	Libanon	9/3	9/9	
18/6	Luipaards Vlei	20/0	20/6	
16/0	Marievale (10/-)	17/0	17/6	
1⅛	Modderfontein	1⅛	1⅛	
4⅝	Modder. East	4⁹⁄₁₆	4⅞	
2/6	New Cent. Wit.	1/3	1/9	
2⅛	New S. Areas	2⅛	2¼	
2⅝	Nigel	2⅝	2¾	
2⅜	Nourse	2⁵⁄₃₂	2⁹⁄₃₂	
6/9	Palmietkuil	4/6	5/0	
8⅛	Rand Mines	7⅛	7⅞	
1⅜	Rand Select.	2¹⁄₃₂	2⅛	
1⅞	Randfontein	1²⁹⁄₃₂	1³¹⁄₃₂	
3⅛	Robinson Deep B	2²⁹⁄₃₂	2³¹⁄₃₂	
2⅝	Rose Deep	2¹⁄₁₆	2⅛	
18/6	Simmer & Jack	20/1½	20/7½	+0/1½
3⅛	S.A. Lands	4⁹⁄₁₆	4⅞	
7/6	S.A. Towns	6/6	7/6	−0/3
1⅝	South West Afr.	1⅛	1⅜	
3/9	Spaarwater	3/0	3/6	
1⅝	Springs	1¹¹⁄₃₂	1¹³⁄₃₂	+¹⁄₃₂
10⅝	Sub. Nigel	9⅝	9⅞	+¹⁄₃₂
7⅛	Union Corp.	7⁵⁄₁₆	7⁷⁄₁₆	+⅛
1⅝	Van D Con. 10/-	1¹⁄₃₂	1⅛	
1⅝	Van Ryn	1⅛	1⅜	
1⅛	Do. Deep	1⅛	1⅜	
1¹⁵⁄₁₆	Venterspost	1²⁵⁄₃₂	1²⁷⁄₃₂	
1⅜	Vereeniging	1¹⁵⁄₁₆	2¹⁄₁₆	
1⅛	Vlakfontein 10/-	1⅛	1⅛	
11/9	W. Holdings	15/0	15/6	+0/1½
1¹⁵⁄₁₆	West R. Con.	1⅛	1⅜	
¾	Western Reefs	17/0	18/3	
2⅛	West Springs	2⅝	2¾	
4	West Wit. Areas	3⅝	4	
1⅛	Witwatersrand Dp.	⅞	1⅛	

DIAMOND.

8½	De Beers Def.	7¼	7½	−⅛
8¼	Do Pref.	9⅛	9¼	
—	Cons. Af.Sel. (5/-)	12/6		−0/3
—	Jagersfontein	⅛	¹¹⁄₁₆	−¹⁄₁₆

MISCELLANEOUS.

5/1½	Burma Corp.	9/0	9/6	−0/1½
30/0	Champion Reef	35/9	36/9	−0/6
—	Mex. Corp.	4/0	4/6	−0/3
—	Mining Trust	1/9	2/3	−0/1½
—	St. John Del Rey.	1⅛	1¹³⁄₁₆*	−¹⁄₁₆

RHOD. AND EAST AFRICAN.

Aug. 31				
1¹³⁄₃₂	Cam & Motor	1¹³⁄₃₂	1¹⁷⁄₃₂	
19/6	Chartered B.S.A.	20/6	21/0	
27/0	Globe-Phœnix	29/6	30/6	
3/9	London Rhod.	3/9	4/3	
1/0	Rezende	⅝	⅞	
21/6	Rhod. A Am.	19/4½	19/10½	+0/7½
14/0	Rhod. Selection	12/3	13/0	+0/6
11¼	Rhokana	9⅞	10⅛	
15/6	Roan Antelope	15/1½	15/7½	+0/4½
13/0	Selection Trust	10/9	11/3	
9¼	Victoria Falls Ord.	3²⁵⁄₃₂	3²⁷⁄₃₂	
15/0	Wankie Col.	12/3	13/3	−0/3
—	Sherwood Starr.	2/3	2/9	−0/3
—	Wankie Cl. (10/-)	12/3	13/3	−0/3

AUSTRALIAN.

2½	B. Hill Prop.	35/0	36/0	
16/0	Do. South New	20/6	21/6	
8/0	Great Boulder	7/10½	8/4½	
16/6	Lake View Star	19/10½	20/4½	
16/6	Lake View Inv.	⅛	⅜	
1⅜	Nth. Broken Hill	34/6	35/6	
1⅜	Sons of Gwalia	34/6	35/6	
1⅛	South Kalgurli	1⅛	1⅛	
8/0	Wiluna Gold	4/6	5/0	
3	Zinc Cord. (10/-)	2¹³⁄₃₂	2¹⁵⁄₃₂	

COPPER.

10⅝	Rio Tinto (£5)	14⅛	14⅝	−⅛
—	Mount Lyell	24/0	25/0	+0/6

TIN.

4/6	Amal. Tin	7/0	8/3	
17/6	Ayer Hitam	21/6	22/6*	−0/6
3/3	Bisichi	5/6	6/0	
7/6	Gopeng	8/6	9/6	
17/9	Ipoh	23/9	24/9	
7/0	Kamunting	10/0	11/3	
7/0	Kramat Pulai	8/3	9/3	
3/0	London Tin	3/10½	4/1½	
25/7½	Malayan T.D.	34/6	35/6	
11/3	Pahang (5/-)	13/0	15/0	
14/9	Petaling	18/0	19/0	−0/1½
18/3	Tronoh (5/-)	22/3	23/3	
—	Naraguta	7/0	8/0	
—	Renong	36/0	36/6	−0/6
—	Siamese	24/6	25/6	−0/6

WEST AFRICAN.

11/6	Ariston	9/7½	10/1½	
3⅝	Ashanti (4/-)	2⅞	3⅛	
25/0	Bibiani	28/3	29/3	−0/1½
19/6	G. Coast Sel.	15/1½	15/7½	
1⅝	Kwahu (2/-)	1⅛	1¼	
9/0	Marlu Gold	7/0	8/0	

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

DUBLIN (METROPOLITAN).

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with Feb. 29, '40.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Beasts	3,012—increase 194	3,043	3,333
Sheep and lambs	4,559—increase 370	4,068	4,401
Veal calves	1—Decrease [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Our weekly market returned to normal conditions following the settlement of labour dispute. The supply of cattle was not heavy for season, and in point of quality proved a moderate show. Both local and cross-Channel buyers were in full attendance, and following the announcement of higher prices offered in the latter direction owners were expecting a much brighter trade at firmer rates, which, however, did not materialise. Business opened about steady for the choicer bullocks inside previous values, and all suitable beasts were readily disposed of, but secondary or unfinished animals proved slow enough to find buyers' marks. Fancy small weight heifers continue scarce, the small number available being placed to local victuallers around late rates, after which a cautious tone overhung trade, and business dragged into a late hour, when a clearance seemed doubtful. Prime bullocks and heifers 50s. to 51s., extra around 52s. 6d., good commercial sorts 48s. to 49s. 6d., rougher 44s. to 47s. per cwt. As compared with corresponding market last year prices show an increase of roughly 10s. and 14s. per cwt. dearer on same period 1938. Beef cows in moderate supply with quality on the whole fairly useful. Contrary to expectations the cross-Channel trade proved disappointing, but with home buyers fairly active all the better class beasts were disposed of at near late rates. Belfast off-take, although fairly useful, was not sufficient to effect a clearance. Bulls a steady trade with an occasional advance for the choicer beast at 30s. to 35s., extra 36s. to 37s., best young cows 37s. to 39s., extra 40s. and 45s. for a few outstanding heifer lots, useful secondary sorts 30s. to 35s. 6d., others 20s. to 28s. per cwt.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Following previous weeks' interruption, trade in this branch of market returned to normal, with an average supply of fairly useful sheep and spring lambs. Both local and export buyers attended well, and for home trade mutton sales worked out fairly good, but only the choicer medium-weight sheep were anxiously bid for at previous full terms. In dealing with heavier classes, sales proved more difficult to push, and market failed to clear at owners' ideas of values. Small business in export direction, and hoggets in the circumstances bid for very cheaply. Spring lambs in good condition found ready buyers; small and thin arrivals not wanted. Mutton 10d. to 1s. 2½d. per lb. and lambs 35s. to 55s. per head.

DAIRY CATTLE.

	Numbers on sale this week as compared Feb. 29, 1940.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Beasts	236—increase 29	336	161

Moderate gathering of dairy cattle here this week. There was a fair attendance of shipping dealers and home dairymen in evidence. Trade, however, was somewhat disappointing, even the tip-top English class milchers being none too anxiously bid for. In fact, prices were 20s. to 30s. per head worse than previously, and many of the plainer types failed to clear. Best cows and heifers £22 to £24, extra around £25 10s.; secondary sorts £18 to £20, others £14 to £17 per head.

PIGS.

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1939.	1938.
Pigs	1,229—increase 296	1,276	1,101

Larger supplies arrived here this week, with quality improved. Much the same number of buyers put in an appearance, but a more cautious tone dominated business throughout, with prices showing in buyers' favour. Sows, slips and bonhams were none too anxiously inquired for, and owners being firm in their ideas of values, a clearance was not effected. Prime light to medium-weight hogs 88s. to 92s. and 94s., heavier 80s. to 84s., sows 62s. to 68s. per cwt., slips and bonhams 22s. to 45s. per head.

YORK.—Larger show Irish beasts, but of poorer quality. Three year horned bullocks £26 10/-, polled and horned cattle less fleshy £17 to £19, young steers both horned and polled ranged from £16 to £18, three-year-old heifers £18 to £20, breeding heifers £15 to £16 10/-. No English stores. Trade fairly good.

BRISTOL.—There were 114 fresh Irish cattle and 30 English. The Irish were somewhat late in arrival and were not of such good quality as those of recent weeks. No beef. Quiet inquiry for stores. Most lots were sold. Three-year-olds £20 to £23, two-year-olds £18 to £20, dairy heifers £16 to £18 10/-. Milch cattle negligible.

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GRAIN.

BALTIC.—WHEAT—The market displayed a firm tone, and prices were advanced in unison with higher overseas cables and a better continental demand. Canadian grades ruled 9d. per quarter higher, Australian 3d. and Plate 6d. up on balance. The following are f.o.b. quotations—No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Montreal) May 37/- first half June 36/10½, No. 2 ditto May 36/4½, No. 1 ditto (Baltimore) March 38/1½, No. 1 ditto (Vancouver) March 32/4½, No. 2 ditto 31/9, No. 1 Canadian Western garnet (Vancouver) March 30/4½, No. 2 ditto 30/-. Australian (bulk) March 26/-, (bags) March 27/6, Baruso 62lb. new crop April 25/6 per 480lb. **MAIZE** quiet, but firmer. Plate new crop April 15/1½, May-June 15/-, No. 2 yellow American (Baltimore) March 30/-. Danubian kiln-dried March-April 29/1½ per 480lb. **BARLEY**—Firmer for Canadian. Plate 64-65 kilos April 16/-. No. 2 Canadian Western six row (Montreal) May 24/9, No. 3 ditto last half May 24/1½ per 400lb. **OATS**—Firm and sparingly offered. No. 2 Canadian Western (Montreal) May 21/- per 320lb.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT remained quietly steady at 7/- per cwt. on farm and 8/- to 8/6 for seed. **MAIZE** firm at £8 per ton. **FLOUR** moved fairly at 22/- per sack for straight run delivered and Manitoba. **OATS** steady at 11/- per cwt. for feed and 12/- milling, but seed quiet at 13/- to 14/- per cwt. **PEAS** in small supply at 27/6 for New Zealand and 28/- per cwt. Tasmanian. **WHEATFEEDS** difficult to obtain at 7/3 per cwt. for bran and thirds. Wheat and Maize futures under control. Following sharp rise in America, wheat for f.o.b. shipment is held for 7½d., barley 9d. and oats 6d. per qr. advance. No. 1 Manitoba (Montreal) May quoted 37/-, No. 2 36/4½, No. 2 (Vancouver-St. John) March 31/7½, No. 1 Canada Western Garnet (Vancouver) March 30/4½, No. 2 30/-, No. 2 Canada Western barley six-row (Montreal) May 24/9, and No. 2 Canada Western oats (Montreal) May 20/10½ per qr.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Good average supply, with demand active for the pick of things; otherwise sales were slow and prices difficult to maintain. York cabbage large 40/- to 60/-, small 15/- to 30/-, Savoy large 40/- to 80/-, outstanding 104/- to 114/-, small 20/- to 35/-, swedes, table 1/6 to 2/3, others 1/- to 1/4, mangolds 1/6 per cwt., lettuce 1/- to 2/-, cauliflowers 2/- to 4/-, seconds 6d. to 1/3 doz., beet 3/- to 4/-, leeks 2/6 to 4/-, rhubarb 1/6 to 3/6, thyme 1/6 to 2/-, carrots 2/- to 3/6 doz. bunches, 5/- to 10/- bag, parsnips 7/- to 10/-, parsley 1/- to 2/- chip, turnips 3d. to 6d. bunch, and mushrooms 1/6 to 2/- per lb.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies in excess of fair trade passing around 5/6 to 6/- per cwt. for best table classes.

DUBLIN FISH.—Small supplies included, 5 lots lobsters, 31 packages salmon, and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand fair at: Salmon 2/8 to 3/-, trout 1/11, soles, black 1/2 to 2/1 per lb., cod 40/- to 76/-, plaice 66/- to 112/-, flounders 47/- to 62/-, dabs 26/- to 40/-, whiting 40/- to 50/-, haddock 40/- to 45/- box, and lobsters 15/- to 29/- per 13.

DUBLIN FRUIT and VEGETABLE — Home-grown arrivals fair to good, with plenty of buyers, at firm to dearer rates. York cabbage, large 50/- to 73/-, small 20/- to 40/-; Savoy, large 60/- to 98/-, outstanding 106/- to 124/-, small 20/- to 50/-; Swedes, table 2/-, others 1/4 to 1/6; mangolds 1/6 per cwt.; cauliflowers 2/6 to 4/6, seconds 9d. to 1/9; lettuce 1/6 to 3/- per dozen, sprouts 2/6 to 4/-, parsley 2/- to 2/6 per chip, 4/- to 8/- per bag; carrots 6/- to 12/-, parsnips 7/- to 10/-, spinach 3/- to 4/-, celery 1/- to 1/6 per bunch, kale 4d. to 6d., horse radish 10d. to 1/-, apples 3/- to 15/- per barrel, mushrooms 2/-, chicory 1/-, and seakale 1/6 per lb. Imported fruits in excess of quiet trade passing at easier prices. Apples, Newtowns 24/- to 25/-, Delicious 24/-, pears 22/- to 24/- per box; oranges, Jaffa 14/- to 16/- per case, Valencia 16/- to 18/- per half-case, Navel 10/- to 12/- per box; lemons 22/- to 25/- per case, 16/- to 18/- per box; grapes, Cape 13/- to 17/-, green 16/- to 20/- per box, Belgium 2/6 per lb., Cape plums 7d. to 8d. per lb., peaches 10/- to 12/- per tray, grapefruit 14/- to 16/- per case, pineapples 3/- to 5/-, English cucumbers 1/9 to 2/- each, Tunis dates 6/- to 9/- per dozen packages, Canary tomatoes 13/- to 14/6 per bost; onions, Spanish 30/- per case, Egyptian 20/- per bag, and Dutch 10/- per half-bag.

DUBLIN BUTTER and EGG.—Creamery supplies offering freely, with sales fair at 151 per cwt. cash and 153/- to 154/- credit sales. Egg production further increased, but, with cross-Channel buyers cautious, prices showed a further reduction at—Specials 14/6 to 15/-, standards 13/6 to 14/6, selected 12/6 to 13/6, pullets 11/3 to 12/6, and selected ducks 14/- to 15/6 per 120.

DUBLIN POULTRY. — Light offerings met a brisk demand, and early clearance at firm rates. Chickens, small 1/2 to 1/3, large 1/- to 1/2 per lb., large fat hens 3/- to 3/6, others 1/6 to 2/6; rabbits 11d., and guinea fowl in feathers 2/9 each.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Soles 1/2, slips 10d. to 1/-, turbot 1/3 to 1/5, brill 1/3 to 1/6, salmon 3/6 per lb. Best plaice 14/- to 15/-, small 6/- to 8/-, lemon soles 16/- to 21/-, whitings 3/6, cod 5/6 to 7/6, codlings 4/6 to 6/6, small haddocks 7/-, medium 9/6, gibbed 9/-, large dabs 12/6 per stone.

DUBLIN FISH.—Small supplies included 3 lots lobsters, 49 packages salmon and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand fair at: Salmon 2/9 to 3/- per lb., lobsters 8/6 to 17/6 per 13, whiting 20/- to 60/-, ray 20/- to 34/-, plaice 40/- to 120/-, cod 40/- to 45/-, haddock 45/-, and mackerel 31/- to 33/- box.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies in excess of fair trade passing around 5/6 to 6/- per cwt. for best table classes.

LONDON.—BUTTER—Importer to wholesaler 143/-, wholesaler to retailer 150/- per cwt., and retail price 1/7 per lb. **CHEESE**—Canadian white and coloured 74/- to 78/-, New Zealand 75/-, Australian 73/-, South African 73/- per cwt. **LARD**—Importer to wholesale 42/6 ex wharf or ex store, wholesaler to retailer 46/8 per cwt. delivered, and retail price 6d. per lb. Irish bladders 42/- to 54/-, packets 42/- to 50½- per cwt. **BACON, HAMS and CUTS**—Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarter sides 121/6, spencers 111/6, middles 122/6, backs 141/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6, gammons or hams green 118/6, smoked or pale dried 128/6, fore ends or square shoulders 92/6, butts or cottage rolls 106/6, collars 114/6, fore hocks 70/6, picnics 70/6. Ulster rolls (boneless) green 133/6, smoked or pale dried 133/6, Ayrshire rolls (boneless or skinless) 122/6 to 166/6 per cwt. **EGGS**—English 17lb. 18/-, 15½lb. 17/6, 14lb. 16/6; Northern Ireland specials 17/6, standards 16/6, selected 15/6; Eire specials 16/6, standards 15/6, selected 14/6. Danish 13/9 to 16/-, Dutch all brown 13/9 to 16/-, mixed 13/- to 16/-; Belgian 16/9 to 17/9, Moroccan 9/6 to 11/6, Dutch ducks 18/3 to 18/6 per 120.

MANCHESTER SALMON AND POULTRY.—Available supplies of salmon meet with a quiet consumptive demand at firm figures. Irish quoted 3/4 per lb. Dead poultry generally held for full late rates. Irish and English chickens 1/6, fowls 1/- to 1/2, ducklings 1/4 to 1/6, turkeys 1/6, Canadian chickens 1/6 per lb.; best trapped rabbits quieter and 2/9 per couple.

MANCHESTER MEAT.—Fair average supplies of all classes of meat. Prices unchanged. HOME-KILLED—Beef sides 7d. to 9d., hindquarters 9d. to 10d., forequarters 6d. to 8d., veal carcass 11d., bobbies 7d., pork carcases 1/-, less heads 1/0½; mutton and lambs carcases first quality 1/-, mutton second 6½d. IMPORTED—Beef hindquarters 9d., forequarters 6d., crops 6½d., mutton 6½d., lambs 9d., pork carcases 9d., less heads 9½d.

MANCHESTER.—BUTTER in good supply. In view of increased ration buyers are operating more freely to cover requirements over the holiday period. First hand prices 143/-, wholesalers 150/-. BACON—Supplies continue ample for all requirements. Bindal prices to wholesalers: Wiltshire cut sides 113/6, three-quarters 121/6, Spencers and Cumberlands 111/6, middles 122/6, backs (cut in U.K.) 141/6 (cut outside U.K.) 131/6, streaks 84/6, clear bellies 89/6, fores and squares 92/6, fore hocks and picnics 70/6, North Ireland rolls, green 123/6, smoked 133/6. Wholesaler to retailer: Wiltshire 125/-, three-quarters 133/-, Spencers and Cumberlands 123/-, middles 134/-, backs (cut in U.K.) 153/- (cut outside U.K.) 143/-, streaks 96/-, clear bellies 101/-, fores and squares 104/-, fore hocks and picnics 82/-. North Ireland rolls 135/-, green 145/-. HAMS meet with a moderate inquiry. Green to wholesalers 118/6. To retailer, 130/-, smoked 10/- extra. LARD—English refined firm and nominal. Little imported offering. First hand price 42/6, wholesalers 46/8. CHEESE—Holiday demand for Lancashire and Cheshire. Colonial unchanged. EGGS—With prospects of increased supplies market somewhat unsettled and prices for all descriptions more or less nominal.

LIVERPOOL.—There was no change in this market on Thursday, supplies being distributed under official arrangements at late prices.

CARDIFF.—Provision markets in and about Cardiff have again shown little change. Bacon supplies were on a good scale, and butter allocations were ample to cover the current demand. Wholesale control prices:—BACON—Irish prime and Danish 113/6 per cwt. HAMS were also unchanged at 118/6 to 128/6 per cwt. BUTTER—New Zealand and Danish prices remained at 150/- per cwt. EGGS—This market weakened considerably, with Eireann 3/3 to 3/9 per 120 lower at 14/3 to 15/9. POULTRY prices were unaltered, with chickens quoted 1/1 to 1/4, and hens 9d. to 10d. per lb.

BRISTOL.—BACON and HAMS—The demand was more active, and there has been some talk of reducing the ration. The following prices are those charged by agents of the Ministry of Food per cwt., carriage paid. On the occasion of a sale to a nominated wholesaler:—Wiltshire, cut sides 113/6, three-quarter sides 121/6, spencers 111/6, middles 122/6, back (cut in the U.K.) 141/6, cut outside the U.K. 131/6, streaks 84/6, gammons or hams green 118/6, smoked or pale dried 128/6, fore hocks or picnics (free of ration) 70/6 per cwt., and on the occasion of any other sale 11/6 per cwt. additional is charged. LARD—Maximum stand-still prices:—Irish bladders finest 46/- to 54/-, fine 42/- to 48/- per cwt. Maximum Prices Order for imported lard—Importer to wholesaler, 42/6 per cwt. ex store or ex wharf; wholesaler to retailer 46/8 per cwt. delivered, and retail 6d. per lb. CHEESE—Maximum stand-still prices:—Canadian finest coloured and white (1939) 78/-, fine 74/-; New Zealand coloured and white 75/-, and Australian and South African coloured and white 73/- per cwt. BUTTER—First hand 143/- per cwt. ex store; importer to wholesaler 150/- per cwt. delivered and retail 1/7 per lb.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—COCOA dull. Accra G/F old crop spot sellers 34/6, do. new 35/- per cwt., new March-April 32/3, Lagos f.a.q. do. 31/- per 50 kilos c.i.f. RICE slow. Burma two stars March-April 8/-, Siam one star 8/1½, super 7/9; Saigon No. 1 6/7½ per cwt. f.o.b. SPICE—Pepper quiet. Black Lampong, spot, in bond sellers 3¼d., March-April 3d., white Muntok, spot, in bond 4½d., do. duty paid 5¼d., March-April 4¼d.; white Java spot in bond 5¼d. Cloves—Zanzibar spot 10d., March-April 9¾d. c.i.f. Pimento—Spot 11¼d. per lb., March-April 97/6. Ginger—African spot 30/-, March-April 22/6. Sago Flour—Sarawak March-April 17/6. Desiccated Coconut—Fine cut spot 27/6, medium 27/-, halves April-May 23/6 per cwt. c.i.f. SHELLAC inactive. Fair T.N. spot sellers 81/- to 84/-, to arrive 71/- c.i.f., A/C Garnet spot 100/-, pure button do. 127/6, fine orange 130/- to 170/- per cwt. RUBBER steadier, with dealings small. Sheet spot sold 11¼d., April quoted 11⁵⁄₁₆d., May sold 11⅜d.-11⁵⁄₁₆d.-11⅜d., June quoted 11⅜d., July-Sept. sold 11⅜d., 11¼d., Oct.-Dec. 11⅛d. fine hard Para spot sellers 1/0¾ per lb. OILS—The following are selling prices for material allocated to primary wholesalers and large trade consumers. Linseed—Raw £42 10/-, Rape—Crude £44 5/-, Cottonseed—Crude £31 2/6, washed £34 5/-, refined £35 12/6, deodorised £36 10/-, Soya Bean—Crude £33, refined deodorised £37. Groundnut—Crude £35 10/-, refined deodorised £40, hardened £44. Coconut—Crude £32 2/6, refined deodorised £31 7/6, refined hardened £35 17/6. Palm Kernel, crude £27 10/-, deodorised £30 15/-, hardened £35 5/-. Castor—Firsts £57, seconds £55. Whale—Crude £30 10/- to £31 10/-, refined hardened £33 to £33 10/- per ton, net, naked, ex mill or works. Palm Oil—C.i.f. in bulk £17 5/-, loan drums £18 5/-, returnable casks £18 15/-. Turpentine quiet. American spot 54/9 per cwt. Rosin—American ranged from 25/- to 35/-, as to grade, per cwt. OILSEEDS—Markets quietly steady. The following are approximate shippers' indications on the basis of the Government freight and insurance. Linseed—Calcutta March-April £17 17/6, Bombay do. £18 10/-, Plate do. £16. Rape—Toria March-April £15 15/-. Cottonseed—Egyptian March-April £8 9/9. Groundnuts—Coromandel March-April £15 2/6. Castorseed—Bombay March-April £20 2/6. Soya Beans—Manchurian March-April £14 10/-. Palm Kernels—West African March-April £10 15/- per ton c.i.f.

LIVERPOOL.—COCOA—West African remains dull and inactive at late rates. Spot parcels of old crop good fermented Accra unchanged at 34/6 and new crop 35/-, both per cwt. in bond ex store Liverpool. Forward shipments of new crop fermented Accra March-April held at 33/3 c.i.f. to Liverpool per 50 kilos.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DUBLIN HAY, STRAW and GRAIN — No markets.

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DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

Associated Talking Pictures.—Net profit, £4,454 (against dr. £35,443), reducing debit balance to £254,373.

Associated Clay Industries.—Profit, £32,727 (against £49,407). Final dividend on Ord. of 2½ per cent., making 5 per cent. for year (against 8 per cent. and bonus of 2 per cent.); forward £7,307 (against £7,329).

Blackett and Sons.—Profit, £9,688 (against £8,721). Dividend of 8 per cent. (same) on Ord. Forward, £3,415 (against £3,283).

British Gas Light.—Trading profit, £73,904 (against £102,572). Total revenue, £131,007 (against £159,633). Net profit, £43,159 (against £59,078). Dividend on Ord. of 7½ per cent. (same); forward £71,891.

Crystalate, Ltd.—The report covering the eighteen months to September 30 last disclosed a loss of £13,123, which, however, is carried to a new assets deficiency account, totalling £179,926. In a statement on the heavy capital losses now disclosed the auditors to the company note that they have not obtained all the information and explanations required, and that certain affairs are open to criticism. In respect of the £85,850 valuation placed on British Homophone shares, the auditors hold this to be excessive. The directors state that time has fully justified the confidence expressed initially in the British Homophone purchase. They also inform shareholders that legal proceedings between the company and its auditors began last year, and that proceedings were stayed by the courts. The directors state in the most categorical terms that on no occasion have they refused to give the auditors any information. The chairman will deal with these affairs at the forthcoming meeting.

Reece and Owen.—Net profit £5,343 (against £4,256). Final 3½ per cent., making 6 per cent. (against 5 per cent.); forward £631 (against £168).

Enfield Rolling Mills.—Net profit, after tax, for 15 months to December 31, 1939, £38,457 (against £45,665 in previous twelve months); dividend of 3⅛ per cent. (against nil); forward, £35,733.

Isle of Thanet Electric.—Profit, £46,300 (against £55,100). Dividend of 2 per cent., less tax (against 4 per cent.).

Jones and Higgins.—Net profit, £32,046 (against £30,681). Dividend 12 per cent. (against 10 per cent.). Forward, £22,914 (against £20,044).

Jays and Campbells (Holdings). — Profit, £104,559 (against £125,829). Dividend on Ordinary 1⅞ per cent. (against 2½ per cent). Forward, £6,389 (against £6,912). Net profits of four main subsidiaries, £318,940 (against £317,753).

Montreal Light, Heat and Power.—Dividend of $0.37 declared on Common for the quarter ending March 31, 1940.

M. S. Foster and Sons.—Final on Ord. of 9 per cent., making 13½ per cent. (same); net profit, £25,332 (against £25,100).

Stewart and Ardern.—No half-year dividend on Preference.

McDonalds.—Trading profit, £38,424 (against £37,208); net profit, £22,403 (against £21,504). Ordinary dividend 3 per cent. (same). Forward, £2,899 (against £2,651).

Rugby Portland Cement.—Trading profit, £122,118; net profit, £80,305 (against £53,750). Dividend 7½ per cent. (against 11 per cent.) on Ordinary. £50,636 (against £35,326) to be carried forward.

Tunnel Asbestos Cement.—Net profit, £56,386 (against £16,792). Ordinary dividend 10 per cent. (against 5 per cent.). Deferred dividend, 5 per cent. (against nil). Forward, £7,585 (against £4,459).

Telephone and General Trust.—Profit £112,529 (against £112,334). Final Ordinary dividend 5 per cent., again making 8 per cent.; forward £62,569 (against £59,662).

Thames Estates and Investments.—Preference dividend postponed.

Travancore Tea Estates.—Profit £25,135 (against £24,601). Final on Ordinary of 6 per cent., making 10 per cent. (same); forward £3,201.

W. N. Frey and Sons.—Pref. dividend deferred.

West Gloucestershire Power.—Profit, £130,371 (against £93,830). Ord. dividend of 4½ per cent. (against 2½ per cent); forward, £2,402).

MOTORS AND TEXTILES

BIRMINGHAM QUOTATIONS

Albion Drop Forgings, 8/-; Albion Motor, 43/10½; Alvis, 2/4½; Austin Ord., 16/6; do. A Ord., 15/6; do. 6 p.c. B Pref., 28/6; do. Prefd. 20 p.c., 22/7½; Birmid Industries, 64/6; Birmingham Small Arms, 21/-; Brockhouse (J.), 50/-; Brown Bros., 43/9; Clifford Components, 5/-; Cornercroft, 6/6; Crossley Motors, 5/3; Dennis Bros., 18/3; Deritend Stamping, 16/6; Dunlop Rubbers, 33/-; Enfield Cycle, 12/3; Fisher and Ludlow, 17/9; Fodens, 18/6; Ford Motors, 17/1½; Guy Motors, 1/9; Halford Cycle, 50/-; Heenan and Froude, 8/2½; Hughes Johnson, 78/3; Humber Prefd., 10/9; Leyland Motor, 75/3; Lucas (Jos.), 58/9; Meadows (Henry), 14/6; Morris, 26/9; Moss Gear, 9/1½; Mulliners (Holdings), 1/1½; Napier, 6/5; New Hudson, 44/-; Perfecta Motor Equipments, 7/9; Perry and Co., 25/-; Pressed Steel, 16/10½; Raleigh, 50/-; Renold and Coventry Chain, 35/-; Rolls Royce, 91/3; Rovers, 12/10½; S.S. Cars, 6/-; Serck Radiators, 70/6; Singer Motors, 1/9; Smith (S.) and Sons Defd., 7/6; Smith's Stamping, 29/6; Standard Motor, 12/-; Sun Cycle, 2/3; Tilling (Thos.), 43/3; Triplex Glass, 23/9; Tube Investments, 93/3; Villers Engineering, 28/3; Elswick Hopper, 2/9. AIRCRAFT—Aircraft Components, 8/3; Boulton Paul, 4/7½; Bristol, 15/3; Fairey, 15/3; Hawker-Siddeley, 13/1½; Hobson (H.M.) Components, 8/7½; Parnall, 6/-.

MANCHESTER INACTIVE

Little activity in Textiles. Sewing Cottons slightly firmer.

Bleachers	3/-5/3	Velvets	3/6-4/-
Dyers	5/6-5/9	Spinners	5/3-5/9
"Slubbers"	5/3-5/6	Henrys	10/-10/6
Calicos	6/6-7/-	Turner and Newall	65/6-66/6
Coats	35/3-35/9		
Courtaulds	35/9-36/3	Wall Paper Def.	17/6-18/6
Dunlops	32/9-33/3		
Cottons	31/-32/-		

CORK EXCHANGE

Third National Loan receded to 104¼. Financial Agreement Loan remained at 97½, and 4 per cent. Exchequer Bonds at 102½; 3½ per cent. War Loan marked 98⅞; Bank Stock further depreciated to 270, Nationals sellers at 41s., Great Southern Deb. repeated 50, Clondalkin Paper Mills Ord. sellers 5s., Cork Corporation 1937 Stock buyers 93, Cork Gas buyers 7⅞, sellers 7⅞; Guinness Ord. came back to 77s. 6d.

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN—Standard cash quoted £250 5/- to £250 10/-, three months £248 10/- to £248 15/-; settlement £250 5/-. Sales amounted to 350 tons cash at £249 15/- to £250 5/-, three months £248 10/-, £248, and £248 15/-. East nominally £275 10/- per ton. ANTIMONY firm. English regulus spot £102 to £105, foreign ditto £93 to £95 per ton. WOLFRAM—Chinese spot nominally 55/- per unit. QUICKSILVER—Spot London 207 dollars, and 200 dollars f.o.b. Italian and Spanish ports per flask. TIN PLATES—Basis I.C. home trade 24/9 f.o.t. maker's works, export 32/- basis f.o.b. South Wales. ALUMINIUM—Home delivery £110 per ton. NICKEL—Home delivery £190 to £195 per ton. PLATINUM—Refined £10 per oz. SILVER cash and forward 20¹¹⁄₁₆d. per oz.

QUIET SESSION [illegible] WALL STRE[ET]

MOVEMENTS CONS[illegible] MINOR FRACT[IONS]

FROM REUTER'S CORRESP[ONDENT] NEW YORK, [illegible]

A quiet pre-holiday session was [held] with many of the pivotal sto[cks] and movements consisting of m[inor fractions] either way. Business news wa[s] bolstered by the formation of th[e] Cabinet, expectations of a m[ore vigorous] prosecution of the war were [a] factor. Meanwhile, an improv[ement in] first-quarter earnings is expected [...] the 729 stocks traded in the [...] 580,000 shares, 280 advance[d ...] declined. The trend at the [...] irregular.

Sterling exchange closed [...] $3.72¼. Silver remained unchang[ed].

	T[illegible]
Call Money	[illegible]
London Cables	3.[illegible]
Montreal Cables	4.[illegible]
Paris Cables	2.[illegible]

Parity	Stocks	
6¹⁄₁₆	Baltimore and Ohio	[illegible]
7⁵⁄₁₆	Canadian Pacific	[illegible]
70⅛	Louisville and Nashville	[illegible]
19	N.Y. Central	[illegible]
265⅛	Norfolk and W. Common	[illegible]
26¾	Pennsylvania	[illegible]
18⁹⁄₁₆	Reading	[illegible]
14⅞	Southern Pacific	[illegible]
18⁹⁄₁₆	Southern Railway	[illegible]
117⁷⁄₁₆	Union Pacific	[illegible]
	INDUSTRIALS.	
220½	Allied Chemical	[illegible]
24¾	American Locomotive	[illegible]
30⅜	American Metal	[illegible]
141½	American Canning	[illegible]
60¹³⁄₁₆	American Smelting	[illegible]
212¾	American Tel. and Tel.	[illegible]
35	Anaconda Copper	[illegible]
1⅞	Auburn Auto	[illegible]
92¹⁵⁄₁₆	Bethlehem Steel	[illegible]
83⅛	Case (J. L.)	[illegible]
105⅜	Chrysler Corp.	[illegible]
187⁷⁄₁₆	Eastman Kodak	[illegible]
47¹¹⁄₁₆	General Electric	[illegible]
66⅞	General Motors	[illegible]
43⅜	International Nickel	[illegible]
4¹⁵⁄₁₆	Do Tel. and Tel.	[illegible]
44½	Kennecott Corp.	[illegible]
7¾	Radio Corporation	[illegible]
13½	Shell Union	[illegible]
42⁷⁄₁₆	U.S. Rubber	[illegible]
68¹¹⁄₁₆	U.S. Steel Common	[illegible]
145⅞	Do. Preferred	[illegible]
50⅛	Woolworth	[illegible]
—	Silver Com. Bars	[illegible]
8¹¹⁄₁₆	Brazilian Traction	[illegible]
23¼	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	[illegible]
2³⁄₁₆	Hydro Electric	[illegible]
	BONDS.	
—	U.S. Treasury 3¾% '46-56	[illegible]
18⁹⁄₁₆	7% German External Loan	[illegible]

DOW JONES AVERA[GES]

	20 Rail.	30 In[d.]
March 21	30.19	14[illegible]
March 20	30.13	14[illegible]
A year ago	30.01	14[illegible]

MONTREAL STOCK EXC[HANGE]

Exc. Equiv.	—	
185⅛	Bell. Tel. (Canada)	[illegible]
10½	Brazilian T.L. and P.	[illegible]
82¹¹⁄₁₆	B.C. Power "A"	[illegible]
3¼	Do. "B"	[illegible]
15¹¹⁄₁₆	Canadian Car and F.	[illegible]
28	Do. Preferred	[illegible]
38⅝	Canadian Celanese Com.	[illegible]
141⅜	Do. Pref.	[illegible]
7⁹⁄₁₆	Canadian Cement	[illegible]
107⁵⁄₁₆	Do. Preferred	[illegible]
3¼	Canadian Indus. Alc. Com.	[illegible]
2⁵⁄₁₆	Do. "B"	[illegible]
8½	Canadian Pacific	[illegible]
—	Cockshutt Plow	[illegible]
49¼	Con. M. and Smelt.	[illegible]
27¹⁵⁄₁₆	Distillers' Seagrams	[illegible]
40	Dom. Bridge	[illegible]
99	Dom. Textiles	[illegible]
16½	Imperial Oil	[illegible]
17⅞	Imperial Tobacco (Canada)	[illegible]
48¹¹⁄₁₆	International Nickel of Cana[da]	[illegible]
25⅛	International Petroleum	[illegible]
6⅛	Massey Harris	[illegible]
34	Montreal Light and Heat	[illegible]
55⅜	Do. Notes and Certs.	[illegible]
41¹⁵⁄₁₆	National Brewers	[illegible]
68⁵⁄₁₆	National Steel Car	[illegible]
34⁵⁄₁₆	Ogilvie Flour Mills	[illegible]
11⅛	Power Corp. (Canada)	[illegible]
17⅞	Quebec Power	[illegible]
24⅞	Shawinigan Water	[illegible]
14⁹⁄₁₆	Southern Canadian Power	[illegible]
87¼	Steel Co. of Canada	[illegible]
15	Hollinger Mines	[illegible]
80⁹⁄₁₆	Noranda Mines	[illegible]
233⅛	Bank of Montreal	[illegible]
343⅛	Bank of Nova Scotia	[illegible]
190⅛	Canadian Bank of Commerce	[illegible]
203⅜	Royal Bank of Canada	[illegible]
	CURB PRICES.	
46¹¹⁄₁₆	Hiram Walker	[illegible]
27⅛	Lake Shore Mines	[illegible]
55⅜	McIntyre Porcupine	[illegible]

† Ex dividend. ‡ Ex cou[pon].

NEW YORK PRODUCE

Wheat barely steady. No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York ...... 10[illegible]
No. 2 Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York ...... 10[illegible]
No. 2 hard winter, spot ...... 12[illegible]
No. 2 red winter, spot ...... 12[illegible]
Maize steady, unchanged.
Oats barely steady. No. 2 white, New York 54½.
Rye steady, unchanged.
Barley steady. No. 2 New Yo[rk] Federal inspected, 65.
Flour and Lard steady, generally [...]
Petroleum steady.
Burlaps steady.
Tallow easy, ⅛c. down. Spot [...] spot special extra 4⅞, spot in tier[ces] steady.
Cottonseed Oil—Futures closed [...] May 6.73, July 6.78, September [...] 6.80.
Shellac—T.N. 16½.
Turpentine—Spot 37¼; Savannah [...]
Straits Tin steady. Closing [...] 46.50-46.62 (46.40), May 46.65 [...] 46.75 (46.70), September 46.80 (4[...]
American Standard Copper st[eady] options—March 10.15-10.23 (10.1[...]) 10.17-10.23 (10.17-10.23), July [...] (10.15-10.18), September 10.13-10.1[...] October 10.13- (10.13).
Coffee on spot closed unchan[ged] opened steady, with Rio unchang[ed] down, and Santos unchanged to 3 [...] The close was steady, with Rio ge[...] up and Santos 5 to 3 points highe[r].
Cocoa—Spot 5⅛. Futures quiet, [...] to unchanged.
Sugar on spot closed steady an[d] 2.80. The new contract finally ea[sed] end liquidation, and closed barely s[...] down to unchanged, while the old [...] very steady at 1 to 2 points up.
Cotton on spot closed 3 points [...] (nominal). Futures opened stead[y] contract 2 to 3 points up and th[e] 2 to 5 points higher. The close w[as] the old contract 3 points lower in [...] the new contract 2 points down [...] The new contract spot price decli[ned] 11.04 (nominal). At New Orlean[s ...] points lower at 10.40 (nominal). [...] old contract opened 1 point higher [...] July deliveries. But closed 4 to [...] The new contract opened 3 points [...] ber option, and closed 4 points l[ower] higher, while the spot price was 3[...] 10.60 (nominal).
Rubber Futures (No. 1 contract) [...] up to 7 points down. Closing [...] 18.41 (18.38), May 18.41 (18.3[...]) (18.17), Sept. 18.00 (18.06), Oct. [...] Dec. 17.86 (17.93). Outside pri[ces] thin crepe spot, 18⅝ buyers; smok[ed] spot 18½ buyers, 18⅝ sellers.
(Previous prices in paren[theses].)

OUTSIDE U.S. MA[RKETS]

Kansas City—Wheat — Spot [...] Futures steady, ⅛c. to ¼c. dow[n ...] winter spot, 106¼. Closing opti[ons ...] July 98⅜.
Minneapolis—Wheat barely ste[ady ...] down. Futures ⅞c. to ¾c. lower. [...] spring spot, 103. Closing optio[ns ...] July 100⅞.

WINNIPEG GRA[IN]

Wheat opened steady, with va[...] higher, and closed barely steady [...] lower. Opening options—May 9[...] 91¼ (90), Oct. 92¾ (91½). C[losing ...] May 89¾ (90), July 90¾ (91⅛), [...]
Oats steady. Closing options—[...] July 37⅞ (38⅛), Oct. 35¾ (35¾)[...]
Rye barely steady. Closing op[tions ...] (72½), July 72¾ (72¾), Oct. 72[...]
Barley steady. Closing option[s ...] (53¼), July 51½ (51¾), Oct. 49[...]
Linseed steady. Closing optio[ns ...] (209), July 207¼ (208), Oct. 201[...]
(Previous prices in paren[theses].)

CHICAGO MARK[ETS]

Wheat opened steady at ¼c. [...] closed barely steady at ⅜c. to ¼c. [...] options—May 106 (103¾), July 10[...] ber 103¼. Closing options—May [...] (105¾ to 105⅞), July 103⅝ to [...] 103¾). September 102⅝ to 102¾ ([...]
Maize opened steady and closed [...] ing options—May 56¾ (56½); July [...] tember 58¼.
Oats closed barely steady. May [...] 56¼ (36⅞), September 33¼ (33[...]
Rye closed stead[y]. May 67¼ ([...] (68⅜), September 69¼ (69⅛).
Lard was firm. Prime Western [...] 4.85 (4.85). Closing options—[...] May 5.77½ (5.80) July 6.00 ([...] 6.20 6.22½).
Bacon steady, unchanged.
Hogs steady. Light-weight 4.8[...] 5.05 to 5.30.
(Previous prices in paren[theses].)

EASTER HOLIDA[YS]

All the United States and C[anadian markets] were closed yesterday (Good Fri[day). The fol]lowing Exchanges will be closed to-d[ay:] New York Cotton, Cocoa, Cotton[seed ...] New Orleans Cotton. The Argentin[e] markets will reopen on Monday.

QUIET SESSION ON WALL STREET

MOVEMENTS CONSIST OF MINOR FRACTIONS

From Reuter's Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

A quiet pre-holiday session was seen to-day, with many of the pivotal stocks neglected and movements consisting of minor fractions either way. Business news was spotty, but, bolstered by the formation of the new French Cabinet, expectations of a more vigorous prosecution of the war were a sustaining factor. Meanwhile, an impressive array of first-quarter earnings is expected shortly. Of the 729 stocks traded in the turnover of 580,000 shares, 280 advanced and 260 declined. The trend at the close was irregular.

Sterling exchange closed ⅛c. higher at $3.72¼. Silver remained unchanged at 34¾c.

	Thur	Wed
Call Money	1%	1%
London Cables	3.72¼	3.71⅞
Montreal Cables	4.57	4.56
Paris Cables	2.11	2.10½

Parity	Stocks	Closing Thur	Bid Wed
6 1/16	Baltimore and Ohio	4⅞	5
7 5/16	Canadian Pacific	5⅞	5⅞
70⅛	Louisville and Nashville	56⅝	56⅝
19	N.Y. Central	15⅜	15½
265⅛	Norfolk and W. Common	214	214
26¾	Pennsylvania	21⅝	21¾
18 9/16	Reading	15	15
14⅞	Southern Pacific	12	12¼
18 9/16	Southern Railway	15	15⅜
117 7/16	Union Pacific	94¾	94⅞
	INDUSTRIALS.		
220½	Allied Chemical	178	178½
24¾	American Locomotive	20	20
30⅜	American Metal	24½	24¾
141½	American Canning	114¼	114
60 13/16	American Smelting	49½	49
212¾	American Tel. and Tel.	171¾	171½
35	Anaconda Copper	28¼	28½
1⅞	Auburn Auto	1½	1½
92 15/16	Bethlehem Steel	75	75
83⅛	Case (J. L.)	67⅛	67
105⅝	Chrysler Corp.	85¼	85⅜
187 7/16	Eastman Kodak	151⅛	151
47 11/16	General Electric	38½	38⅝
66⅞	General Motors	54	53⅞
43⅜	International Nickel	35	35⅛
4 15/16	Do Tel. and Tel.	4	4
44½	Kennecott Corp.	35⅞	35⅞
7¾	Radio Corporation	6¼	6⅜
13½	Shell Union	10⅞	11½
42 7/16	U.S. Rubber	34¼	34⅞
68 11/16	U.S. Steel Common	55½	55⅞
145⅞	Do. Preferred	117¾	117¾
50 3/16	Woolworth	40½	40⅜
—	Silver Com. Bars	34¾	34¾
8 11/16	Brazilian Traction	7	7¼
23¼	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	18¾	18⅝
2 3/16	Hydro Electric	1¾	1¾
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treasury 3¾% '46-56	—	—
18 9/16	7% German External Loan	15	15½

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	20 Rail.	30 Indus.	15 Util.
March 21	30.19	146.73	24.29
March 20	30.13	146.91	24.10
A year ago	30.01	143.41	24.17

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv.	—	Closing Thur	Bid Wed
185 1/16	Bell. Tel. (Canada)	166	166*
10½	Brazilian T.L. and P.	9⅜	9½
82 11/16	B.C. Power "A"	29¼	29½
3¼	Do. "B"	2⅞	2⅞
15 11/16	Canadian Car and F.	14	13½
28	Do. Preferred	25	24¾
38⅝	Canadian Celanese Com.	34½	34¾
141⅜	Do. Pref.	126½	125
7 9/16	Canadian Cement	6¾	6¾
107 15/16	Do. Preferred	96½	96½
3¼	Canadian Indus. Alc. Com.	2⅞	3
2 15/16	Do. "B"	2⅝	2⅝
8½	Canadian Pacific	7⅝	7⅝
—	Cockshutt Plow	—	7¾
49¼	Con. M. and Smelt.	44	44½
27 11/16	Distillers' Seagrams	24¾	24½
40	Dom. Bridge	35¾	36
99	Dom. Textiles	88½	88½
16½	Imperial Oil	14¾	14⅞
17⅞	Imperial Tobacco (Canada)	16	16
48 11/16	International Nickel of Canada	43½	43
25 7/16	International Petroleum	22¾	22¾
6 1/16	Massey Harris	5⅜	5½
34	Montreal Light and Heat	30⅜	30⅜
55⅜	Do. Notes and Certs.	49½	49½
41 15/16	National Brewers	37½	37
68 13/16	National Steel Car	61½	61¼
34 15/16	Ogilvie Flour Mills	31¼	31½
11 1/16	Power Corp. (Canada)	9⅞	9⅞
17⅞	Quebec Power	16	16
24⅞	Shawinigan Water	22¼	22¼
14 9/16	Southern Canadian Power	13	12⅞
87¼	Steel Co. of Canada	78	77
15	Hollinger Mines	14	14⅛
80 9/16	Noranda Mines	72	71½
233 13/16	Bank of Montreal	209	209
343 7/16	Bank of Nova Scotia	307	307
190 3/16	Canadian Bank of Commerce	170	171
203⅝	Royal Bank of Canada	182	184
	CURB PRICES.		
46 11/16	Hiram Walker	41¾	41¾
27 7/16	Lake Shore Mines	24½	24
55⅜	McIntyre Porcupine	49½	49¼

†Ex dividend. ‡Ex coupon.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS

Wheat barely steady.

No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York	103⅜	104
No. 2 Manitoba, spot, c.i.f. New York	102¼	102½
No. 2 hard winter, spot	128⅜	128⅝
No. 2 red winter, spot	125⅜	125⅞

Maize steady, unchanged.

Oats barely steady. No. 2 white, per 36lb. c.i.f. New York 54½.

Rye steady, unchanged.

Barley steady. No. 2 New York, all growths Federal inspected, 65.

Flour and Lard steady, generally unchanged.

Petroleum steady.

Burlaps steady.

Tallow easy, ⅛c. down. Spot extra loose 4½, spot special extra 4⅝, spot in tierces 5. Futures steady.

Cottonseed Oil—Futures closed barely steady. May 6.73, July 6.78, September 6.82, October 6.80.

Shellac—T.N. 16½.

Turpentine—Spot 37½; Savannah spot 32½.

Straits Tin steady. Closing options—March 46.50-46.62 (46.40), May 46.65 (46.60), July 46.75 (46.70), September 46.80 (46.75).

American Standard Copper steady. Closing options—March 10.15-10.23 (10.13-10.22), May 10.17-10.23 (10.17-10.23), July 10.15-10.19 (10.15-10.18), September 10.13-10.15 (10.13-10.15), October 10.13- (10.13).

Coffee on spot closed unchanged. Futures opened steady, with Rio unchanged to 8 points down, and Santos unchanged to 3 points higher. The close was steady, with Rio generally 5 points up and Santos 5 to 3 points higher.

Cocoa—Spot 5½. Futures quiet, 1 point down to unchanged.

Sugar on spot closed steady and unchanged at 2.80. The new contract finally eased under week-end liquidation, and closed barely steady at 1 point down to unchanged, while the old contract closed very steady at 1 to 2 points up.

Cotton on spot closed 3 points down at 10.84 (nominal). Futures opened steady, with the old contract 2 to 3 points up and the new contract 2 to 5 points higher. The close was steady, with the old contract 3 points lower in all options, and the new contract 2 points down to 5 points up. The new contract spot price declined 3 points to 11.04 (nominal). At New Orleans spot closed 3 points lower at 10.40 (nominal). In futures the old contract opened 1 point higher in the May and July deliveries, but closed 4 to 2 points down. The new contract opened 3 points up in the October option, and closed 4 points lower to 3 points higher, while the spot price was 3 points down at 10.60 (nominal).

Rubber Futures (No. 1 contract) steady, 3 points up to 7 points down. Closing options—March 18.41 (18.38), May 18.41 (18.38), July 18.15 (18.17), Sept. 18.00 (18.06), Oct. 17.96 (18.01), Dec. 17.86 (17.93). Outside prices—First latex thin crepe spot, 18⅝ buyers; smoked ribbed sheet spot 18½ buyers, 18⅝ sellers.

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

OUTSIDE U.S. MARKETS

Kansas City—Wheat — Spot firm, 1⅜c. up. Futures steady, ⅛c. to ¼c. down. No. 2 hard winter spot, 106¾. Closing options—May 99⅞, July 98⅝.

Minneapolis—Wheat barely steady. Spot ⅞c. down. Futures ⅞c. to ¾c. lower. No. 1 Northern spring spot, 103. Closing options—May 100½, July 100⅞.

WINNIPEG GRAINS

Wheat opened steady, with values ¼c. to ⅛c. higher, and closed barely steady at ¼c. to ⅜c. lower. Opening options—May 90¼ (89), July 91¼ (90), Oct. 92¾ (91⅛). Closing options—May 89¾ (90), July 90¾ (91⅛), Oct. 92¼ (92⅝).

Oats steady. Closing options—May 39¼ (39⅛), July 37⅞ (38⅛), Oct. 35¾ (35¾).

Rye barely steady. Closing options—May 72⅞ (72½), July 72¾ (72¾), Oct. 72¾ (72⅞).

Barley steady. Closing options — May 53¼ (53¼), July 51½ (51¾), Oct. 49⅞ (49⅞).

Linseed steady. Closing options — May 208 (209), July 207¼ (208), Oct. 201 (201).

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

CHICAGO MARKETS

Wheat opened steady at ¼c. to ⅜c. up, but closed barely steady at ⅜c. to ¼c. lower. Opening options—May 106 (103⅝), July 104 (102), September 103¼. Closing options—May 105⅜ to 105½ (105¾ to 105⅞), July 103⅜ to 103½ (104 to 103¾), September 102⅝ to 102¾ (102⅞ to 103).

Maize opened steady and closed steady. Opening options—May 56¾ (56½), July 57¾ (57), September 58¼.

Oats closed barely steady. May 41⅜ (42), July 36¼ (36⅞), September 33¼ (33⅞).

Rye closed steady. May 67¼ (67¼), July 68¼ (68⅜), September 69¼ (69⅛).

Lard was firm. Prime Western steam loose spot 4.85 (4.85). Closing options—March 5.70 (5.70), May 5.77½ (5.80), July 6.00 (6.00), September 6.20 6.22½).

Bacon steady, unchanged.

Hogs steady. Light-weight 4.85 to 5.40, heavy 5.05 to 5.30.

(Previous prices in parentheses.)

EASTER HOLIDAYS

All the United States and Canadian markets were closed yesterday (Good Friday). The following Exchanges will be closed to-day (Saturday):—New York Cotton, Cocoa, Cottonseed, Tallow and New Orleans Cotton. The Argentine Grain options markets will reopen on Monday.

NO WRITE-UP OF VICKERS' CAPITAL

WHAT THE FULL REPORT REVEALS

This year for the first time the report of Vickers, Ltd., included a review by the Chairman, Mr. A. A. Jamieson. He draws attention to the strong position of the company, and says that the holding of a large sum in cash and Government securities continues to be the policy of the Board. These two items have increased by over £400,000 during the year.

He draws the attention of stockholders to the fact that the calls upon cash for the payment of taxes will be on a greatly increased scale this year, and states that the burden of additional taxation is reflected in the lower balance of profits shown in the accounts of the operating companies.

There is to be no early write-up of the capital of Vickers, Ltd. Mr. Jamieson points out that it is only natural that stockholders should desire that the capital which was written down in 1926 should be restored, but at the present time the directors do not consider that they would be justified in restoring it to its pre-1926 figure.

FALL IN PROFITS

Report of Vickers, Ltd., for 1939 reveals a decline in net profits of £171,981 on the previous year at £1,226,871, but the past year's figure is after allowing for the increased rate of taxation. The amount allowed for taxation is not disclosed in the current accounts. A year ago this item absorbed £503,397. As already known, the Ordinary dividend is maintained at 10 p.c., the contingency reserve receives £250,000 compared with £100,000 in 1938, when £350,000 was also placed to reserve. On this occasion, however, the directors are increasing the carry-forward from £321,760 to £480,188.

Profit of Vickers, Armstrongs, Ltd., in 1939 after taxation, amounted to £1,778,143 against £1,679,795 in 1938, but, as the allowance for depreciation is increased from £575,000 to £750,000, the net balance is lower at £1,028,143 compared with £1,104,795.

All arrears of dividend on the Preference capital have now been paid off and, says Mr. Jamieson, the Chairman, in a review which is included in the report of the group, a start should be made with paying an Ordinary dividend this year.

AUCTION SALES

MESSRS. BATTERSBY AND CO.

A very interesting and varied list of forthcoming sales of residential property and furniture is set out in our advertising columns to-day by Messrs. Battersby and Co. For their property sale on Thursday, 4th April, they will offer three attractive residences, each with possession, 36 Chelmsford road, Ranelagh, a well-built brick house, close to Ranelagh junction; 23 Vernon avenue, Clontarf, pre-war, soundly built house, in nice situation, and 58 Monkstown road, a substantially built house on main road, near Monkstown Church, and in splendid order. Messrs. Battersby and Co. announce an important sale for 15th and 16th April, when they will offer the detached residence, 37 Garville avenue, Rathgar, for sale, with possession, and also the valuable antique and modern furnishings, garden and outdoor effects, etc. Full details in our auction columns.

MESSRS. THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS AND CO.

On Wednesday, 27th inst., this firm will dispose of the furniture and farm implements at Bathampton Cottage, Blessington road, Tallaght, commencing at 12 noon. On Thursday, 4th April, they will hold their next property sale at their salerooms, South Great George's street, at 1.15 p.m., when the following lots will come up for sale:—Eight modern houses on Wilfield road, Ballsbridge, let to tenants, and will be sold in lots to suit purchaser; 87 and 92 Blarney Park, off Sundrive road, Kimmage, two modern houses to be sold, in one or two lots; 10 Auburn avenue, Donnybrook, a two-storey semi-detached house; Pier Hotel and Tea Rooms, East Pier, Howth, to be sold as a going concern; 27 Farney Park, off Claremont road, Ballsbridge, a modern semi-detached non-basement house, situate in a nice district; St. Mary's, 4 Wilfield road, Ballsbridge, also a modern semi-detached house. At a later date they will offer for sale by auction, Nos. 1 and 2 Upper Fitzwilliam street; also 9, 10 and 11 Lower Fitzwilliam street.

MESSRS. ALLEN AND TOWNSEND.

Messrs. Allen and Townsend announce the sale of 25 Pembroke Park, Ballsbridge, and 9 Upper Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh, on Wednesday next, at their Property Salerooms, 11 St. Stephen's Green; No. 25 Pembroke Park is a red brick, non-basement pre-war residence, off Herbert Park, and 9 Upper Beechwood avenue is a cottage-style house.

MR. E. J. CONNOLLY.

Mr. Edward J. Connolly, having disposed of the residence, 13 Merrion square, has been further instructed to offer by public auction, on Wednesday next, the entire household furnishings and effects. Included in the property auction at his salerooms, 3 Lincoln place, on Wednesday, 10th April, are 40 The Rise, Mount Merrion, and 15 Nephin road, Cabra.

FAT CATTLE PRICES AT DUBLIN

Average price per cwt. live weight of fat cattle and fat sheep in Dublin Market on Thursday:—

FAT CATTLE.

Year.	Mar. 21. s. d.		Feb. 29. s. d.
1940	49 6	No market on 7th and 14th March, 1940.	47 9
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1939	37 0	—	36 3
1938	34 3	—	35 0

FAT SHEEP.

Year	Mar. 21. s. d.		Feb. 29. s. d.
1940	60 0	No market on 7th and 14th March, 1940.	56 9
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1939	39 9	—	38 3
1938	50 9	—	51 0

WOOL

BRADFORD.—Facilities are being granted by wool control for export of tops against existing orders. Exports are also being encouraged. In yarn market prices are unchanged. Moderate amount of business is being done both on home and export account, but majority of firms have already bought to the limit of their ration.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Dublin District Court—10.30 a.m.

Father Mathew Feis—Dublin, 2 p.m.

Blackrock Literary and Debating Society—8 p.m.

Royal Irish Academy of Music Operatic Society—Opera in aid of Mount Street Club—Rathmines Town Hall, 8 p.m.

SPORT.

Racing—Phoenix Park, 3 o'c.

For Football and Hockey, see Fixtures.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Berkeley Square."

Olympia Theatre—"The Easter Passing Show."

Abbey Theatre—"William John Mawhinney."

Gate Theatre—"An Ideal Husband."

Metropole Cinema—"Day-Time Wife" and "Too Busy to Work."

Hibernian Bank Sports Club Annual Dance—Metropole Ballroom, 8 to 12.

Metropole Ballroom—Afternoon Tea Dance, 4 to 6.

Grafton Cinema—"At the Circus."

Corinthian Cinema — "The 26 Martyrs of Japan."

Queen's Theatre—"Easter Eggs."

Theatre Royal—"Rhapsody in Green" and "South of the Border."

Regal Rooms Cinema—"Ninotchka."

The Green Cinema—"Mayerling."

Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Letter of Introduction."

Regent Cinema, Blackrock — "The Little Princess."

Savoy Cinema—"Escape to Happiness."

Capitol Cinema—"Every Other Inch A Lady."

Astor Cinema—"Mr. Deeds Goes to Town."

Carlton Cinema—"Mutiny in the Big House."

Adelphi Cinema—"The Real Glory."

"Things I Saw In Paris," by "P.C."—Beside Green Cinema, 10 a.m. to midnight.

U.S. MINISTER REPRIMANDED

Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Friday.

Mr. James Cromwell, United States Minister to Canada, was formally reprimanded by Secretary of State Cordell Hull yesterday for making a pro-Allies speech at Toronto last Tuesday. He was told that his words "contravened the standing instructions to American diplomatic officers," and was warned not to repeat the offence.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"TIMBER, STEEL AND CEMENT"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The article by a Special Correspondent in to-day's *Irish Times*, under the above heading deals with very important matters to those interested in housing problems.

It is difficult, however, to understand why freight and insurance charges on imports to Eire, which is a neutral country, should be many times higher than those paid by British importers.

Strikes would, obviously, not only retard progress, but increase the costs to such an uneconomic extent as to prevent the raising of the necessary capital to carry out even the most urgent schemes, and these have been so frequent for some time in this country that they have prevented the raising of capital for carrying out large industrial undertakings that would give employment to thousands of people urgently in need of it.

Some people blame the leaders of the different labour societies, while others blame capital, but between them the unfortunate striker who loses his job does not benefit, even if he gets a few shillings increase in his weekly wage, for if the strike is of any duration the strike pay the striker receives is not sufficient to maintain himself and his family, and he, therefore, gets into arrears with his provision merchant, which, in many cases, takes a long time to pay off and creates a hardship on the family.

It seems that the only solution to this problem would be for capital and labour to come together and realise the importance of one to the other.

Labour cannot get employment without capital and capital cannot achieve its contemplated returns without healthy, productive labour—assuming efficiency in the direction of the business and the markets available to consume the output.

If capital would be satisfied with, say, 5 per cent. per annum on the capital invested, and provision is made in the beginning to pay living wages to its employés, and should the industry, after an agreed period for development have a favourable balance after paying its shareholders 5 per cent., then that balance might be allocated between capital and labour on an agreed basis, or for creating a pension fund for faithful and productive services of employés. No industry should be allowed to start unless it could be shown that there was a reasonable chance of it carrying out these conditions.

TIMBER.—The principal forests got plucked of their best timber during the Great War by people who were in that line of business, and exporting it. The then Sinn Fein organisation eventually stopped these depredations, and saved some of the timber, but I fear not sufficient to meet the present requirements.

SUBSTITUTE FOR STEEL.—Motocrate can supply, as good a substitute for steel as can be supplied by any country.

STEEL.—While the Government and promoters of the Haulbowline steel works are to be complimented on their efforts to supply this industry, the handicap has been that the plants installed could only deal with scrap and imported material. Every country is using and developing its own resources at present. Even Great Britain has reopened the low grade ore deposits that had been closed for years.

There is plenty of iron ore in Eire, including Arigna, of a higher grade than the Cleveland ore. It is, therefore, to be hoped that the Haulbowline works will be completed as soon as possible, and that its plant will admit the use and development of our native ores.

CEMENT.—Thanks to our Government and those in charge of cement production, this industry is flourishing and should be able to meet the demand.

The first and most essential thing in the economic life of our country at present is the establishment of a representative tribunal to deal with strikes and their causes, which would enable industries to supply the home market, to begin with, on economic lines, and thus reduce unemployment and the dole, which has been more of a curse than a benefit.—Yours, etc.,

P. J. McAndrew.

Dublin, March 21st, 1940.

WOODPIGEON SHOOTING

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—With reference to woodpigeon shooting, I must admit that these birds are much too numerous. But I would suggest that this increase to uncomfortable numbers is due to the destruction of our birds of prey.

Hawks and owls, and even the heron, account for vast quantities of vermin destroyed. True, they take an occasional pheasant or chicken, but what is that compared with their destruction of weasels and rats, which destroy thousands of birds' eggs?

Last year I had hundreds of cabbage plants destroyed by pigeons; shooting was no good, neither was a scarecrow. Presently a pair of kestrels took up their abode nearby. After that the pigeons left my cabbages severely alone. All day long these birds hovered and swooped over a potato patch, catching and carrying off rats which were digging up the immature potatoes.

Unfortunately, a local gun club is active in killing off our feathered friends. They seem to care little for the welfare of the crops of the farmers whose lands they are glad to preserve.

With the destruction of the hawks there has been a great increase in the numbers of such unclean vermin as magpies, carrion crows, starlings, rats and stoats, not to mention rabbits.

Half the time the heron is supposed to be poaching trout he is really catching water voles, which, swimming close to the bottom of trout streams, destroy trout spawn and fry. Would it not be an excellent idea if Mr. Verschoyle and Mr. Heatley, sportsmen and farmers, would induce their friends to allow the hawks to multiply? They may lose a pheasant or two, but the consequent decrease in ground vermin and increase in ground-nesting game birds would, surely, reward them. I know that I prefer the hawks to the rats, and I am something of a farmer in a small way.

Mr. Verschoyle raises a good point when he talks of the destruction of song birds. There is supposed to be a law protecting birds, but, as far as I can see, the trapping of goldfinches, bullfinches, linnets, etc., goes on unabated. The goldfinch is now almost extinct and the bullfinch about to become so. Why is the law not enforced?—Yours, etc.,

F. W. R. Knowles.

The Rectory, Croom, Co. Limerick

March 20th, 1940.

DANCERS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—In order to avoid the possibility of any misunderstanding arising out of the reference to dancers in my ballet which appeared in to-day's "Irishman's Diary," I wish to state that no one of the three dancers mentioned has ever been a member of the Vic-Wells Company. Christine du Boulay, who was recommended by Miss Ninette de Valois to continue her training with me, was a student at the Vic-Wells School before she came to Dublin.—Yours, etc.,

Sara Payne.

50 Middle Abbey street, Dublin,

March 20th, 1940.

MUSLIM VIEW OF INDIAN SITUATION

Press Association Foreign Special.

LAHORE, Friday.

The division of India into "autonomous national States" was advocated to-day by Mr. Jinnah as the only solution of the country's problem in his presidential address at the twenty-seventh annual session of the Muslim League.

"If the British Government really is in earnest and sincere in its wish to secure the peace and happiness of the people of this sub-continent, the only course open to us all is to allow the major nations separate homelands," he declared. Mr. Jinnah said that the termination of the British *régime* would lead to chaos in India.

"We have learnt many lessons from Congress rule in the Provinces, and we are not trusting anybody," said Mr. Jinnah. "I declare here, that if any declaration is made by the Government without our approval and consent, Muslim India will resist it. No mistake should be made on that score."

Mr. Sumner Welles arrived in Gibraltar yesterday on his way home. He refused to make any statement to the Press.

THESE WERE HAPPY DAYS

THE BOYNE WALK IN YESTERYEAR

BY "NEMO."

"Nichevo's" interesting notes on the Boyne walk jolted my mind back to a happy summer before the Great War. The sunshine was yellower then, and the very air we breathed seemed to be of a superior quality compared with the stuff that is to be had to-day. I wonder how many of the distinguished band who walked the Boyne that day are still with us. Some I know to be now traversing the bank of the less ambrosial Styx, some (like Reggy) have disappeared with their Trinity B.A.s to some remote jungle of the Empire, never to re-emerge. Others, like George Moore, have gone from us forever, leaving monuments more bold (if less endurable) than brass. O tempora, O Moores! Si monumentum requiris, pray circumspect the fiction shelves at Capel street.

I recall that we assembled at noon outside the Old House in College Green, the older men panting from the rigours of three after-breakfast pints slammed down into the stomach in the space of five minutes at the counter of Old Kate's Inn, an old-world hostelry which occupied the site of the present National Bank, and long-since pulled down to make way for so-called progress. The shamrock was sported on all sides. A policeman had been kicked to death in Dalkey, there had been shooting at Naas, and the whole country was in a ferment. It was a toss-up whether we should take a brake to the Strawberry Beds or wend our way along the Valley of the Boyne to Drogheda, returning therefrom in three of Bianconi's flies which had been hired for the day "in case of need" by Edward Martyn.

Kuno Meyer

It was Kuno Meyer who made up our minds for us. He was living at that time in Inchicore, and was late arriving in College Green owing to hub-trouble with his bicycle. When he did come, he made it clear that returning home was not his idea of a day out. Martyn, I recall, saw his chance to put forward the Drogheda proposal, and was far from slow in seizing it. He drew our attention to the three smart flies, and said that they were packed with hampers of "tuck." He suggested that we should send the flies ahead to Drogheda by road, the party to follow along the Boyne on foot.

A thin youth, attired in a suit of Irish poplin, raised his voice in support of Martyn. This turned out to be none other than Brinsley MacNamara, of subsequent fame, now the most Boyne-minded man in Ireland. Henry James, who had been brought along as a guest by Moore, was strongly for the Strawberry Beds, but there was no gainsaying Martyn's Drogheda proposal and his three "tuck"-packed flies. Drogheda it was. It was then arranged that the hampers should be carried by lackeys from Drogheda to historic Ros-na-Riogh, where the oncoming party would halt to partake of refreshment and regale themselves with draughts of cider.

To Ros-na-Riogh

Through inadvertence, the drivers of the cars were left without any dinner, and, after the hampers of "tuck" had been taken down the river, they embarked on an ill-advised attempt to take the vehicles down along the river bank and through the fields to Ros-na-Riogh. The pretence was that they wished to save the party the inconvenience of completing the walk to Drogheda after a heavy meal, but, of course, the truth was that Demon Hunger held the reins. One of the flies toppled into the river and was not salvaged for hours afterwards until the herculean strength and the diving talent of Meyer (glutted as he was with buns) had been requisitioned, not to mention sundry words of advice tendered by Henry James from terra firma.

At that time there was a ramshackle timber drinking house on the river bank, about two miles from Navan. It was owned by Matt something-or-other—I never knew his surname. It was a favourite resort of the Boyne-walkers of yesterday. On a fine Saturday evening one could see there men famous in every walk of life talking together quietly on important topics over flagons of saffron cider. Joseph Conrad often came to see us there, and Sean O Faolain was a frequent caller.

Alas, how bitter-sweet is the cud of memory!

R.C.P.I. AND R.C.S.I.

CONJOINT EXAMINATIONS

Candidates have passed the Spring, 1940, Examinations as undernoted:—

PRELIMINARY.

Honours—H. A. O'M. Morrogh.

Pass—J. P. Bannon, Kathleen Barnes, P. E. J. Barry, P. Beirne, J. G. Campbell, R. J. Coogan, B. G. Coleman, J. P. Crean, T. O. Cunningham, Mary A. Daniels, W. J. A. Geraghty, J. J. A. B. Gleeson, A. W. Goldberg, J. N. Gould, J. Grainger, R. F. Hobson, W. Irvine, D. J. Keane, D. J. Keating, J. T. Kelly, D. P. Kennedy, D. V. Kneafsey, T. Lavelle, D. A. Leahy, Mary Leahy, M. Loftus, C. O. Makanjuola, L. Marks, Laurine E. W. Mayrs, P. Moran, P. Mulcahy, D. J. McDermott, D. F. McFeely, T. J. McGuirk, J. J. MacInerney, G. V. MacSwiggan, Florence O'Brien, K. P. O'Byrne, D. C. J. O'Connor, F. A. O'Hagan-Ward, M. M. O'Meara, T. J. O'Shea, M. E. Rochfort, C. A. Sargent, J. V. Sinnott, J. P. Sullivan, E. Tobin, F. P. Treacy, M. Twomey, R. D. Widger.

Biology.

Honours, Second Class—J. J. Moloney, Joyce M. McCall, D. C. Roberts.

Pass—E. T. O. Annan, E. F. B. Barrington, J. Bower, T. G. Bradley, Mary E. Cooney, T. A. Cullen, Sheila M. O'D. Davis, J. A. Doherty, J. D. Drennan, W. N. Erskine, P. S. Finegold, J. S. Fortune, J. G. Kelly, R. P. King, Annie J. Macnamara, J. J. Morris, C. W. R. Murray, J. J. M. McGrath, Helena M. McManus, Kathleen M. McManus, E. O'Dwyer, Catherine A. Power, J. J. B. Sheridan, J. A. Sodipo, Margaret Tannam, A. Thomas, C. E. Wilson, P. R. Wilson.

FIRST PROFESSIONAL.

Applied Chemistry.

Honours, First Class—Elizabeth P. Carlisle, J. A. Doherty, O. Finn, Margaret E. Galt Gamble, P. J. Leahy, Joyce M. McCall, W. J. O'Regan.

Honours, Second Class—O. H. Bolger, Catherine C. Ledsham, J. Macken, J. J. Molony, J. J. Morris, P. J. Murray, J. J. McAuley, P. J. McAvock, J. J. M. McGrath, D. M. Posner, J. D'O. Ruttledge, J. A. Sodipo.

Pass—Martin Casey, Sheila M. O'D. Davis, J. Fegan, J. Greer, D. M. Lynch, A. V. Maguire, N. G. Monaghan, C. W. R. Murray, Joan McLoughlin, Eileen M. McMahon, Annie J. Macnamara, Elizabeth J. Renehan, D. C. Roberts.

Applied Physics.

Pass—G. H. Baker, Martin Casey, T. A. Cullen, Helena M. McManus, W. R. O'Meara, T. O'Reilly, Mildred M. Sheils.

Anatomy.

Honours, First Class—J. L. I. Mangan.

Honours, Second Class—J. C. Bowman, G. V. B. Gillooly, W. A. Murray, J. F. Owens.

Pass—J. T. Doherty.

Physiology.

Honours, Second Class—J. P. Carr, J. L. I. Mangan, W. A. Murray.

Pass—L. A. Foley, W. A. G. Heatley, A. Kiernan, J. McGrath, F. E. Pollock, G. V. Reddin, M. P. D. Waldron.

SECOND PROFESSIONAL.

Materia Medica.

Honours, First Class—G. P. Beazley.

Honours, Second Class—J. B. Kennedy, E. G. Phelan, J. J. Ryan.

Pass—W. F. Barkley, A. Bowe, J. J. Brooks, Johannah Buckley, E. Farrelly, D. C. Flattery, C. C. Geraghty, D. J. Heffernan, W. J. Irwin, L. Leader, Mary Murphy, G. Murray, E. J. McCann, Brighid M. McDonogh, M. A. McGrath, J. P. Nowlan, D. F. O'Kelly, M. D. Plunkett, M. M. Ryan, D. F. Sheahan, D. Urquhart, Melisande Zlotover.

Pathology.

Honours, Second Class—T. P. Lennon.

Pass—A. Bowe, G. L. Moore, J. B. McMahon, M. J. Pilsworth.

Ophthalmology.

Pass—G. P. Beazley, S. A. Belshaw, Johannah Buckley, O. D. P. Byrnes, A. Campbell, P. J. Corrigan, J. C. Courtney, Helen C. O'D. Davis, D. Early, D. C. Flattery, C. C. Geraghty, W. A. Harney, D. J. Heffernan, P. J. Mullen, Mary J. M. McAuliffe, Alice P. McCarthy, G. C. A. MacDevitt, A. J. MacDonald, Annie L. McDonnell, V. McGivney, P. H. McGowan, J. McKeogh, J. B. McMahon, J. A. O'Brien, Bridget C. O'Driscoll, R. H. O'Hanlon, D. O'Keeffe, P. M. Prendiville, H. C. Rollock, M. M. Ryan, D. F. Sheahan, E. A. Waldron.

FINAL PROFESSIONAL.

Medicine.

Honours, Second Class—J. P. Beazley, R. St. J. Harold, S. G. Smith.

Pass—C. A. Anderson, S. Davis, M. Hopkins, J. M. Menzies, J. McCartan, R. T. Shiggins, J. Speer, T. A. Spence, W. F. Sunderland, E. W. Webster, J. White, T. H. Whitsitt.

Surgery.

Honours, Second Class—R. E. Brandon, J. McAuliffe Curtin.

Pass—J. P. Beazley, S. Davis, F. M. Donnelly, R. St. J. Harold, M. Kelly, M. Marcus, J. M. Menzies, S. G. Smith, J. F. M. Smyth, T. A. Spence, Elizabeth H. Stokes, T. H. Whitsitt.

Midwifery.

Honours, Second Class—J. W. Aalders.

Pass—F. G. Adye Curran, J. F. Barragry, S. A. Belshaw, B. A. Boylan, James Butler, H. C. Coker, P. J. Corrigan, F. Crowe, T. Forsythe, S. J. Healy, M. J. Keating, T. N. Keeling, M. Kelly, P. S. Kenny, R. Leventhal, A. J. Matlin, J. E. Moloney, P. D. Moloney, J. J. Murray, K. J. McGinty, J. P. MacLean, M. G. O'Brien, G. H. Owens, H. C. Rollock, M. Thompson, Patricia Troy, W. Sheehan.

Diploma in Psychological Medicine.

Dr. E. P. L. Masson, Dr. J. R. J. Shea.

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Dr. F. H. Counihan, J. J. Curran, Dr. A. H. Gee, Dr. W. Gordon, H. M. McCarthy.

Final Fellowship.

Dr. T. M. Hennebry, Dr. J. H. A. Jewell, Dr. E. T. McCartney.

First Dental.

R. J. Corr.

Galway County Rate.—Galway Corporation adopted an estimate on Thursday providing for a rate of 27s. 6d. in the £, an increase of 6d. The rate is one of the highest in the country.

IRISH CREAMERY BUTTER

DISCUSSIONS CONCLUDED IN LONDON

From Our Correspondent.

LONDON, Friday.

Important discussions have now concluded here regarding the purchase by the Ministry of Food of all Irish creamery butter being exported to Britain during the coming season, which begins in May.

Mr. H. O'Friel, Chairman of the Dairy Disposal Company, and Mr. Maurice Foley, of the Department of Agriculture, have been representing Irish interests at discussions at the Ministry during the past five days, and have taken back to Dublin to-day comprehensive proposals from the Food Controllers.

Under a new Order issued yesterday by the Ministry of Food, the importation of a large variety of foodstuffs is prohibited. Mr. W. S. Morrison has taken this step so as to regulate the trade in the various commodities in the manner which his advisers may calculate will serve the national interest best. All foodstuffs not already controlled will require licenses for importation. The principal Irish commodities affected are fresh cream, condensed milk, dried milk and cheese.

I learn in official circles to-night, however, that there will be little diminution in Irish exports to Britain of these commodities.

BRITISH 'PLANE SHOT DOWN

"SIEGFRIED LINE OF THE AIR"

AMSTERDAM, Friday.

A British fighter 'plane was shot down at about noon to-day in a fight with two German 'planes at a great height near Lobith, on the Dutch-German frontier. The 'plane crashed in flames into the River Oudfwaal, on the Dutch side of the frontier. Its two occupants were killed, but the bodies have not yet been recovered.

An official statement issued at The Hague states that the fight took place over German territory. The British machine, it adds, is now deeply embedded in the mud.—(Press Association War Special.)

The Amsterdam Correspondent of the *Aftenbladet* reports that experts for air defence believe to have found an answer to the question, why the German anti-aircraft batteries did not act against the British reconnaissance 'planes, which during several nights flew over German towns, and even over Berlin.

"It is believed," writes the paper, "that the German air-defence is organised according to a special system, consisting of several different strategical zones, all of which are equipped with different types of anti-aircraft batteries and search-lights.

"In case of emergency the whole system may form a veritable artillery-wall, a 'Siegfried-line of the air.'

"The situation of this artillery-line, however, is secret, and, apparently, the Germans do not want to betray its position to the enemy reconnaissance 'planes.

"In case of a large-scale bomb attack, launched by the enemies, the whole air-defence line would immediately come into action.

"The effects caused by the flying of British 'planes over Germany are also lessened by the fact that anybody having British leaflets is liable to be sentenced to severe penalties."

FUNERAL

THE VERY REV. PATRICK HEWSON, P.P.

The funeral of the Very Rev. Patrick Hewson, parish priest of Bangor Erris, Co. Mayo, who died on Wednesday last in a nursing home in Dublin, took place yesterday from St. Muredach's Cathedral, Ballina, to the family grave at The Abbey.

Father Hewson was born in 1876. He was ordained in 1900, after which he was appointed a professor in St. Muredach's College.

Father Hewson's remains were conveyed from Dublin to Ballina, where they were received by the bishop (the Most Rev. Dr. Naughton); the priests of Killala Diocese, and a number of the Achenry priests.

The day being Good Friday, the Mass and Requiem were not celebrated. The solemn Requiem Mass will be celebrated in Bangor Church on Wednesday next.

The funeral was one of the largest ever seen in Ballina.

Among those present were:—Mr. P. J. Ruttledge, Minister for Local Government, and Mr. Michael Kilroy, chairman of Mayo County Council.

The coffin was carried from the Cathedral by Senator Ruane, John Clarke, B. Patrick, Alfred Calleary, B.E.; James O'Reilly, Garden street, Ballina; Vincent Calleary and Joseph Ruane, Ballina.

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Illustrated Prospectus from Rev. T. J. IRWIN, D.Litt.

BACON EXPORTS QUOTA

CORK ASKS FOR A CHANGE

At the monthly meeting of the Council of Cork Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, Mr. G. F. Brewitt presiding, the alteration in the bacon exports quota alloted to Cork was considered, and it was decided to press for a return to the former method in order to avert serious injury to the pig and bacon industry in Cork.

In regard to the Council's complaint concerning conditions at the Cork General Post Office, a letter was read from the Postmaster detailing the arrangements in hand for improved facilities, including extension of the post office counter.

The letter also stated that pens, pencils and blotting paper were issued daily for the use of the public, but these often disappeared during the course of the day.

The Council agreed that the public could not expect a sufficient supply of pens, etc., if these were being continually taken away.

CORK COUNTY RATE

MONEY FOR VILLAGE SCHEMES CANCELLED

The Cork County Council on Thursday discussed the county rate estimate, providing for a levy of £522,396 off the county at large—£486,244 to be raised off the three County Health districts and £36,152 from the ten Urban District Councils.

The Secretary, Mr. J. F. Wrenne, said the Council had still to decide whether to provide £10,000 (as last year) to secure a Government employment grant, which last year amounted to £34,000. The effect of an extra £10,000 would be to increase the roads rate by 2.33d. in the £. The Council had already reduced the roads rate by 3½d. in the £. The general increase in rates would be about 1s. 1d. in the £.

Remarking that the levy proposed was already the highest for fifteen years, the Chairman suggested providing this £10,000 by reducing the £8,000 allocations for members' proposals or cancelling the £8,000 passed for village schemes.

Mr. M. J. Corry, T.D., suggested adopting both measures, thus providing £16,000, in the hope of a £50,000 grant. He asked was that worth a gamble.

Mr. D. L. O'Gorman—It is, and I support it.

It was eventually agreed to provide the £10,000 by cancelling the £8,000 allocated for village schemes and reducing the allocation for main roads and county roads by £1,000 each.

The Council adopted the scheme for provision of seeds and fertilisers in accordance with Government sanction.

POTEEN AS A CURE

MAN WHO SUFFERED FROM ASTHMA

From Our Correspondent.

ENNISKILLEN, Friday.

"Asthma or no asthma, you must not make poteen again or you will go to prison," said Major Dickie, R.M., at Lisnaskea Petty Sessions to-day to Hugh Montgomery, Carrickawick, when imposing fines of £5 on each of two summonses for having in his possession ten gallons of wash, and also paraphernalia connected with illicit distillation.

Sergeant Bowman said that the defendant admitted making a little poteen, but he suffered terribly from asthma, and had as a result to sleep in an armchair at the kitchen fire at night, being unable to sleep in bed. He made a bottle of poteen for his own use only, as it gave him relief. "Only for it I would not be alive to-day," he said.

Mr. J. B. Murphy, solicitor, defending, said that in the country a common method of relieving asthma was by drinking whiskey.

District Inspector Kerr said that the defendant suffered from asthma, but lived in a terribly bad poteen district.

OBITUARY

THE VEN. HENRY J. JOHNSON

The Venerable Henry John Johnson, Archdeacon of Elphin and Ardagh, died at Clonbroney Rectory, Edgeworthstown, on Thursday, aged 77. He was educated at the University of Dublin, graduating with the degree of Bachelor in Arts in 1887 and being ordained Deacon for the Curacy of Ardagh in the same year. Two years later, on his ordination as priest, he was appointed to the incumbency of Mostrim, where he remained for a further two years. The Venerable Henry Johnson took his Baccalaureate in Divinity in 1902, while incumbent of Ardagh, to which he had been appointed in the previous year. In 1908, when he became incumbent of Clonbroney with Killoe, he was appointed Rural Dean of Ardagh, a position which he held until 1921. In 1915 he was appointed as secretary of the Diocesan Council and as Diocesan Nominator of Ardagh, positions which he filled with considerable ability. Later in 1927 he was made Diocesan Nominator for Elphin. His appointment as Archdeacon of Ardagh was made in 1921, and, in 1929, he took over the duties of Archdeacon of Elphin. The Venerable Henry Johnson was, in 1930, made Prebend of Killukin in Elphin Cathedral.

MR. RALPH NEALE

A message from Detroit announces the death there yesterday of Mr. Ralph Neale, the British author and playwright, who was one of the pioneers of moral rearmament. He was a godson of the late G. K. Chesterton.

Visitors to Killarney.—Already the vanguard of what is expected to be a record Easter trek to Killarney has arrived and all hotels report very heavy bookings. Of course, a big percentage of the visitors are teachers from all parts of Ireland, who are taking advantage of their congress, which opens on Tuesday morning, to spend a regular holiday in Killarney.

ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE

CLYDE ROAD.

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS, 1940.

AN EXAMINATION FOR SCHOLARSHIPS
(a) For Day Pupils,
(b) For Resident Pupils,
open to boys under 13 years of age on 1st August, 1940, will be held at the College on 6th and 7th JUNE.

Next Term will begin on 3rd APRIL at 10 a.m.

The Headmaster will be in residence on and after 2nd April to interview parents and to enrol pupils.

For Prospectus and full information as to Scholarships apply to the Headmaster:

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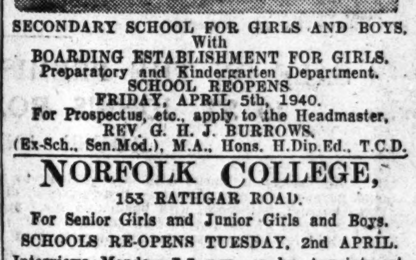

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An Examination will be held in June when Scholarships and Exhibitions varying in value from £80-£20 will be offered.

Candidates must be under 14½ years on June 1st. In the making of the awards the character and school record of the candidate will be taken into consideration.

Particulars from THE HEADMASTER, Rydal School, Conway.

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Headmistress—Miss Dalgleish, M.A. (Oxon.).

CARGO FOR BRITAIN SABOTAGED

CREW AWOKE TO FIND SHIP SINKING

From Reuter's Correspondent.

NEW YORK, Friday.

Members of the crew of the freighter Panamanian, which was lying in the Baltimore harbour partly loaded with a cargo for Great Britain, awoke on Wednesday night to find the ship listing, its keel on the bottom and water pouring through the port holes. The engineroom, two holds and the dynamos were flooded to a depth of 18 feet.

The Panamanian was due to sail at midnight last night. Officials of the Arnold Bernstein Line announced that it was very possible that the vessel had been sabotaged, though it might have been due to carelessness in refuelling.

RATIONING IN THE NORTH

NO CHANGE IN THE SYSTEM

Representations from Northern Ireland for a simpler rationing system have not been accepted by the Ministry for Food.

The campaign was launched by the Belfast and North of Ireland Grocers' Association, who asked the Minister of Food (Mr. W. S. Morrison) to abolish ration coupons and introduce family ration cards. The request was supported by other traders and by butchers. It was also suggested that the Ministry's representative in Northern Ireland should be granted more executive power.

Some seventeen rationing offences were reported to the Belfast Food Control Committee which met in the City Hall on Wednesday.

The Committee decided that the circumstances of three serious cases should be reported to the police. The other offenders will be warned against further transgressions of the Rationing Regulations.

The Irish Times.

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1940.

AUCTIONS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.
AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TUESDAY, 2nd APRIL,
THORNFIELD, STRADBROOK, BLACKROCK.

Important detached, two-storey, bungalow-type residence containing drawingroom, about 30 by 20 ft.; diningroom, 22 by 20 ft.; breakfast room and study, five spacious bedrooms (three having fixed basins), maid's room, three bathrooms, pantries, cloakroom; electric light and gas. Stands in about one-third acre, including tennis court.
Long lease. Will be sold subject to £15 per annum. Possession.
JOYNT & CRAWFORD, Solicitors, 1-2 Foster place.

BELLOSQUARDO, NEWTOWNPARK AVENUE, BLACKROCK.
RESIDENCE AND 38 ACRES 3 ROODS 8 PERCHES.

This important property is approached by two principal entrances—one in Newtownpark avenue, the other in Carysfort avenue. The lands have a frontage to Newtownpark avenue of about 700 feet, and from a development point of view the linking-up of the two entrances by a continuation of Carysfort avenue is a very considerable facility. There are three gate lodges. The residence contains drawingroom floored in parquet, diningroom with hardwood floor, spacious hall, morningroom and study, eight family bedrooms, with servants' accommodation.
There is a large walled garden and there are out-offices.
The lands would let readily for grazing, and as a building proposition the property has great attractions.
Held under lease for 200 years from 17th June, 1839, at the annual rent of £170.
J. M. SEALES, Solicitor, 27 College Green.

34 CORRIG AVENUE, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

Substantially built house, containing drawingroom, 21 x 15 ft.; diningroom with bay window, small room off hall, four bedrooms, bathroom, maid's room. Good garden and garage.
Frontage 42ft. 10in.; depth 200 feet. Held for 31 years from 1903, subject to a yearly rent of £19 10s. 6d. Clear Possession. Key with Auctioneers.
LAMBERT & WARREN, Solicitors, 9 Eustace street.

TELDE, GORDON AVENUE, FOXROCK.
KILTERAGH ESTATE.

Charmingly situated and dainty, detached, non-basement Villa, with pleasure grounds and small stream.
Accommodation consists of three reception rooms, three bedrooms, bathroom with fixed basin, heated linen press, w.c., kitchen with boiler and electric cooker. Electric light laid on. There is a good garage.
Open situation and very pleasant views.
Will be sold subject to £15 per annum, with long lease.
Clear Possession. Seen by appointment with Auctioneers. The greenhouse and some other items the property of the outgoing tenant are not included, but can be purchased from the tenant if purchaser desires.
WHITNEY, MOORE & KELLER, Solicitors, 46 Kildare street.

FURNITURE SALES.
SALE THURSDAY NEXT, 28th INST.,
57 BELGRAVE SQUARE, RATHMINES.
ANTIQUE FURNITURE, RADIO, ETC.

Philips Wireless Receiving Set, Chippendale Chairs, Chippendale Dining Table, Antique Corner Double Press Bureau, Mahogany Cupboards, Papier-mâché Trays, Fans, etc.; Mirrors, Lounge Chairs, Sampler and Pictures, Inlaid and Occasional Chairs and Tables and Stools, Screens and Chairs in Needlework, Circular Antique Waiter, Settee, Antique Garde Vin, Capo de Monti and other Ornamental China, Antique China Cabinet, Medallions, Pictures and Prints, Persian Rugs and Carpets, Stair Carpeting, Carved Oak Chests, Sheraton Barometer, Clocks, Card Tables, Singer Sewing Machine, Bookcases and Cabinets, China and Glassware, Copper, Mahogany Wardrobes, some with mirror doors; Chests Drawers, Washstands, Toilet Drawers, Commode, usual Bedroom Furniture, Modern and other Beds and Bedding, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Hoover Vacuum Cleaner; Garden Seat, Mower, Tools, Meat Safe, etc.
On View day preceding.

SALE ON THE PREMISES, MONDAY, 8th APRIL,
19 ST. JOHN'S ROAD, SIDNEY PARADE.
HOUSE AND FURNITURE.

Non-basement house, with bay windows to roof, red brick, with tiled porch; good garden at rear, and garage. Accommodation:—Drawingroom, diningroom (modern grates), three bedrooms (two having fixed basins), bathroom, with basin and w.c.; maid's room, tiled kitchen. Choice situation. Overlooks playing fields at the rear. Two minutes' walk from 'bus and tram.
Held for 147 years from 1st August, 1926, subject to £7 10s. Od. P.L.V., £25.
A. and L. GOODBODY, Solicitors, 24 Dame street.
FURNITURE INCLUDES:—Pair Antique Plate Buckets, Sheraton Cabinet, Hepplewhite Arm and Antique Chairs, Convex Mirror, Chippendale Bureau, Antique Grandfather Clock in Chippendale case, with brass dial, by Clarke, Dublin; Antique Inlaid Carved and other Tables, Sheraton Garde Vin, Antique Barometer, Baxter Prints, Pictures and Framed Medallions; large Press, with lattice door; Gramophone and Records, Antique Glass Ornaments, Plated Ware, Fire Sets, Sets Curtains, Antique Dinner Wagon, Telescope, Benares Ware, Chesterfield Settee, Lounge Chairs, Needlework Screen, Mirrors, Ornamental China, Items, Chessmen, Mahogany Wardrobes, Antique Toilet Mirrors, Toilet Tables, Pedestals, Mahogany and other Chests Drawers, Aitors, Modern Wooden Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding, Carpets, Stair Carpeting and Rugs, Sewing Machine, Bookcases and Books, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Garden Tools, etc.
Leasehold Interest will be Sold at 12 o'clock. Furniture Sale immediately afterwards.

SALE THURSDAY, 11th APRIL.
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MESSRS. JAMES H. NORTH & CO. have been instructed to sell, as above, the ENTIRE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE OF SUPERIOR QUALITY, including:—Set of 8 Chippendale Chairs, including Pair of Carvers; Mahogany Dining Table of Chippendale design, with half-round ends, on cabriole legs and claw and ball feet; Mahogany Sideboard en suite, Dinner Wagon to match, Mahogany Bookcase with Cupboards, Hall Table of Irish Chippendale design, heavily carved; Antique Shaped Card Table on cabriole legs and claw and ball feet, Grandfather Clock in Mahogany Case, Inlaid and Occasional Chairs and Armchairs with Settee to match, Chesterfield Settee and Lounge Chairs, upholstered in silk tapestry; Mahogany and other Card Tables, Inlaid Music Seat, Satinwood Circular 2-Tier Table, Antique Convex Mirror, Inlaid Mahogany Corner Display Cabinet, Mahogany Inlaid Bureau with slope front, Overmantel Mirror of Chippendale design, Mahogany Hat and Coat Stand, Set of Unpolished Oak Diningroom Chairs, with Sideboard and Pull-out Diningroom Table to match; Pedestal Mahogany Writing Table, Ornamental Porcelain, Sets of Oxidised and other Fire Furnishings, Suites of Curtains in very good condition; Carpets and Stair Carpeting, good quality; Hearth Rugs, Coal Containers, Household Glassware, Benares Embossed Tray on Stand, Inlaid Chiming and other Clocks, Electric Bowls and Fittings; Pictures by McGuinness and other Artists and Reproductions of Paul Henry; Large Bronze Dancing Figure, Circular Fire Screen in Needlework, Bronze Bust of Shakespeare, some Pieces of Silver and Plated Ware, Set of 4 Sporting Paintings by R. Stone, Boudoir Grand Pianoforte by John Broadwood and Son, etc.
Inlaid Mahogany 3-Part Wardrobe, Mahogany Inlaid Bedside Pedestals, Toilet Chests of Drawers, Mahogany Inlaid Bedroom Suite, Commode Armchair, Mahogany Modern 2-Door Wardrobe, Mahogany and other Chests of Drawers, Antique Toilet Mirrors, and usual Bedroom Furniture, including Mahogany Panel-ended Bedsteads of Chippendale design and other Bedsteads, with Spring and Hair Mattresses and Bedding.
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SALE OF BELLE ISLE HOUSE AND LANDS.

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An annex adjoins the kitchen, containing servants' quarters, laundry, storerooms, dairy, etc., opening on to an enclosed yard, with compact range of out-offices, garage, car-wash, etc. Adjoining are fruit and vegetable gardens.
The large enclosed farm yard, which is situated about 200 yards from the residence, contains ranges of substantially built, slated out-offices, portions of which are lofted, and include six loose boxes, ranges of stalls, cow-house, cattle and implement sheds, turf-house, piggeries, garage, harness-room, etc. The haggard adjoins, on which stands a large hayshed.
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The property can be inspected at any time on application to the Auctioneers.
The Furniture and Outdoor Effects will be on View on the Monday and Tuesday previous to the days of Sale, for which an admission charge of 2/- will be made.
Arrangements for luncheons and refreshments on the premises during days of Sale have been made.
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Pre-war, red brick, non-basement house. Hall, 2 reception rooms, 2 large and 1 small bedrooms, bathroom and lavatory, kitchen with small room off (convertible into maid's room). El. and gas; coalhouse and toolshed. Side and back entrances. Unusually large back garden.
Lease for 900 years from 1st July, 1891, subject to £5 3s. Od. P.L.V. £28. VACANT POSSESSION.
AND
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Lease for 300 years from 1st April, 1927, subject to £9 0s. Od. P.L.V. £22. VACANT POSSESSION.
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THURSDAY, 4th APRIL, at 2.30 p.m.,
AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

36 CHELMSFORD ROAD, RANELAGH,

TWO-STOREY, PRE-WAR, BRICK HOUSE. VACANT POSSESSION. Conveniently situated, close to Ranelagh junction, on 'bus route; in first-class decorative order and condition. Contains:—2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bath and wash basin (h. and c.), kitchen (new close range). Electric light and gas. Garden front and rear; ample space for garage.
Lease 999 years at £4 per an. P.L.V. £520. Key at No. 38.
Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or JOYNT & CRAWFORD, Solicitors, 1 Foster place.

B. & Co. 23 VERNON AVENUE, CLONTARF. 4th April.

SOUNDLY-BUILT, ALL-BRICK HOUSE. POSSESSION. Pre-war built, two-storey, with bow windows; close 'bus and tram. Contains:—2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bath (h. and c.), kitchen. Electric light and gas. Good decorative order and condition. Garden front and rear.
Lease 230 years from 1914 at £5 per an. P.L.V. £21. Seen on order, 1 to 4 p.m.
Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or KENNEDY & McGONAGLE, Solicitors, 34 Upper O'Connell st.

R. & Co. 58 MONKSTOWN ROAD. 4th April.

WELL-BUILT HOUSE, IN GOOD ORDER. POSSESSION. Nicely situated on main road and contains:—2 good reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, breakfast room, bath (h. and c.), large tiled kitchen. Electric light and gas. Garden front and rear; space for garage.
Lease about 88 years at £20 per an. P.L.V. £130. Key on order.
Further particulars AUCTIONEERS, or HUGH J. FITZPATRICK, Solicitor, 13-16 Dame street.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
HOUSE AND FURNITURE, 15th and 16th APRIL,
37 GARVILLE AVENUE, RATHGAR.
CHARMING DETACHED RESIDENCE, IN OWN GROUNDS.
ALSO THE VALUABLE ANTIQUE AND MODERN FURNITURE.
Full details in next advertisements.

BATTERSBY & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.V.I.,
39 WESTMORELAND ST., DUBLIN.
ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1815.

ADAM'S SALEROOMS, 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, N.
THURSDAY NEXT, 28th MARCH, and FOLLOWING DAY.

WE WILL CONDUCT AN IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF ANTIQUE AND OTHER FURNITURE FOR LADY ATHLUMNEY AND OTHER ACCOUNTS: Good Upright Pianos, H.M.V. Gramophone with Amplifier, Carpets and Rugs, Oil Paintings, Water-Colours, Engravings and Books; Silver Plate, China, Glass and Household Effects; Regulo Gas Cooker; also Office Furniture, Desks, Steel Filing Cabinets, Milner's Fireproof Safes, etc. (Details next week.) On View Wednesday next, 10 to 5. Sale Thursday next, 28th inst., and following day.

RE ESTATE ROBERT M. CAREY, DECEASED.
PIER AND COAL YARD, ROGERSTOWN.

JAMES ADAM & SONS have been instructed to offer the Deceased's Interest in above for SALE BY
PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE PREMISES AT ROGERSTOWN, on TUESDAY, 2nd APRIL, at 3 p.m. sharp (Summer Time).
The PREMISES AT ROGERSTOWN consist of Pier and Coal Shed, with sole rights of berthage, wharfage and tolunage, all standing on about 1r. 25p. Tenure: Held for ever free of rent. P.L.V., £1 10s. Od. The Coal Shed is fitted with overhead gantry, with truck from boat side to shed. The Sale includes a Redford 2-ton Coal Lorry.
For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. R. H. BEAUCHAMP & ORR, Solicitors, 5 Foster place; or to

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY'S SALES.
WEDNESDAY NEXT,
FURNITURE AUCTION AT 13 MERRION SQUARE, N.

HAVING DISPOSED OF THE PREMISES, I am further instructed to OFFER THE CONTENTS BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
Included are the following:—Mahogany and Oak Single Beds, Springs and Mattresses; Marble-topped Washstands, Linen Presses, Enamelled Chest Drawers, Bedside Tables, Upholstered and Leather Armchairs and Settees, Rocker and Reclining Armchairs, Mahogany Sideboards, Inlaid Mahogany Circular Tables, Framed Pier Mirrors, Overmantels, Dining Table (Oak), 18 Oak and Leather Dining Chairs, 7 Kitchen Tables, Bentwood and Kitchen Chairs, several Axminster Carpets and Stair Carpets, Lino, Vacuum Cleaner, Gas Cooker, Household Linen, Kitchen Utensils, Step Ladder and numerous Miscellaneous Lots.
ON VIEW TUESDAY NEXT, MARCH 26th.
TERMS—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

WEDNESDAY, 10th APRIL, at 3 LINCOLN PLACE,
40 THE RISE, MOUNT MERRION.

RENT £12. LEASE 200. P.L.V. £35. RATES REMISSION.
Beautiful, semi-detached, 5 bedroom, 3 reception dwelling; kitchen, scullery, etc. Garage and specially constructed outhouse. Magnificent gardens.
Note—Arrangements may be made prior to sale for loan repayable at £41 11s. 10d. p.a.
Solicitor: EDWARD RYAN, Esq., LL.B., 23 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

15 NEPHIN ROAD, CABRA.

RENT £7 17s. 6d. LEASE 300. P.L.V. £16. RATES REMISSION.
Modern, semi-detached dwelling. Containing:—2 recept., kitchen, bathroom and w.c., 4 bedrooms. Good gardens front and rear. Coal-house. Garage adjoining.
Solicitor: MARCUS A. LYNCH, Esq., 12 Le Cromond quay, Dublin.

EDWARD J. CONNOLLY, F.N.A.A., M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneer and Valuer, 3 LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

"DUNOWEN HOUSE,"
ARDFIELD, CLONAKILTY.

Charming Residence and good Out-offices, standing on its own grounds of about 5 acres; lawn, garden, and pleasure grounds. Held Free of Rent. P.L.V., £19 0s. Od. Also the contents of the residence, including very valuable Antique and Modern Household Furniture, Ware, Glass, Carpets, etc.; also 10 h.p. Austin Motor Car, in perfect order.
MICHAEL O'REILLY is instructed with instructions from Mrs. E. O'Brien Twohig to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27th, the above splendid Residence, containing lounge hall, drawingroom, diningroom, morning and breakfast rooms, kitchen, pantry and scullery, and 6 good bedrooms and bathroom upstairs. Water laid on, and everything in perfect order. Delightfully situated near the sea, in a nice sunny position, in a good fishing and shooting district.
The Motor Car and the Furniture on the ground floor will be Sold immediately after the Residence, and on Thursday, March 28th, the contents of the kitchen and bedrooms, Auction starting each day at 1 o'clock (B.T.).
MICHAEL POWELL, B.A., Solicitor, 50 Grand Parade, Cork.
MICHAEL O'REILLY, M.I.A.A.
Auctioneer and Valuer,
BANDON.

CO. MEATH.
CARRAGH, TARA.

Sale of excellent Farm of Land, the property of Miss Annie Anderson,
On FRIDAY, 5th APRIL, 1940, at 3 o'clock (Summer Time),
On the Lands (unless previously disposed of).
Area 148 acres, Statute. Annuity, £84 10s. 9d. Poor Law Val., £137 5s. Situate along the main Navan-Dublin road, about 3 miles Statute, from Navan and 24 from Dublin. All in permanent old pasture.
GERALD MAGUIRE, Esq., LL.B., Solicitor for Vendor, Claremorris, Co. Mayo.
KIERAN & McGEE, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers,
ARDEE, DUNLEER, DUNDALK & DROGHEDA.
Tel.: Ardee 14.

FURNITURE.
29 ROYAL TERRACE, W.,
DUN LAOGHAIRE.

WE are instructed by the Executors TO SELL the entire Contents of the above residence by PUBLIC AUCTION on
FRIDAY NEXT, 29th MARCH,
At the hour of One o'clock.
Included are the following items:—Armchairs, Large and Occasional Tables, Shaped Mag. Table, China Cabinet, Carpets, Mag. Bedroom Suite, Beds and Mattresses, Small Mag. Bookcase, Overmantels, Sideboard, Dining Table, Rocks, Stair Carpet, Kitchen Furniture, Gas Cooker, some Kitchen Delph, Fire Irons, etc., etc.
ON VIEW 10-1 O'CLOCK MORNING OF SALE.
DELIVERY SATURDAY, 10-1 O'CLOCK ONLY.
Admission 6d.
Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.
GARVEY & GOOD,
F.S.I., M.I.A.A.,
Chartered Surveyors, Valuers and Auctioneers,
LINCOLN PLACE, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALE,
EVERY THURSDAY,
Entries should reach us Tuesday previous.
CRAIGIE BROS.,
37 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

AUCTION TAGHMINY, COLE HILL, via MULLINGAR,
TUESDAY NEXT, 26th MARCH, 12 o'clock (B.T.),
Along with Household Property of Canon Stoney, M.A.
Valuable Collection of Geological Specimens, Mahogany Table (several pages), belonged to Inniskilling Fusiliers; eight old oak Ladder-Chairs, Noggins, Ancient Candlesticks, etc.

AUCTIONS.

THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., LTD.
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.
PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 4th APRIL,
At 1.15, at our Property Salerooms, South Great George's Street.

IMPORTANT PROPERTY SALE.
8 MODERN HOUSES—
NOS. 45, 47, 53, 63, 65, 69, 75 & 83 WILFIELD ROAD,
BALLSBRIDGE.

Let on agreements for 3 years from 1939 at rents ranging from £84 10s. Od. to £90 per annum; Landlord pays rates in all cases. P.L.V. approximately £17 each. Remission of rates two-thirds for 2 years.
The entire is held for 145 years from March, 1939, at a nominal rent of 1/- (if demanded). Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

NOS. 87 & 92 BLARNEY PARK, OFF SUNDRIVE ROAD,
KIMMAGE.

Let at £72 10s. Od. and £71 10s. Od. per annum respectively on yearly tenancies. P.L.V., £14 10s. and £14. Landlord paying rates. Two-third remission of rates for 7 years.
Held for 170 years from September, 1937, at a rent of one peppercorn. £12 security held for each against rent.
DESMOND MORAN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale,
34-35 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.

10 AUBURN AVENUE, DONNYBROOK.

Held for 150 years from the 25th March, 1897, subject to £5 15s. 4d. P.L.V., £23.
Seen on Order to View from the Auctioneers.
Messrs. GOOD & MURRAY, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 3 Dawson Street, Dublin.

PIER HOTEL AND TEA ROOMS, EAST PIER, HOWTH.

To be Sold as a Going Concern, including Leasehold Interest, Goodwill, Fittings, Furniture and Equipment.
Held from the 1st March, 1938, to the 28th September, 1949, subject to £75 per annum. P.L.V. £40.
WM. J. KEERY, Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 19/20 Fleet Street, Dublin.

27 FARNEY PK., OFF CLAREMONT RD., BALLSBRIDGE

A Modern, Semi-detached, Non-basement House, situate in a nice district, close to all services. Accommodation:—Drawingroom and diningroom, with sliding doors, door leading to garden from diningroom; 3 family bedrooms, kitchen, pantry, scullery, bathroom (hot and cold), wash-hand basin and lavatory, hot press, electric light and power throughout. Modern tiled fireplaces, outside lavatory and coalhouse, greenhouse, good garden, fully planted; garage, with water laid on.
Held for 150 years from 25th March, 1934, subject to 10 guineas. P.L.V., £23.
P. C. MOORE, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale, 18 Dame Street, Dublin.

ST. MARY'S, 4 WILFIELD ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.

Excellently-built, modern, semi-detached house, conveniently situate to Sandymount Halt, and within easy reach of the city by train, allowing ample time to those in business in the city to get home to lunch; also convenient to tram and 'bus.
Accommodation comprises:—3 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, cloakroom and sun parlour, tiled kitchen, hot and cold bath with shower appliance; hot and cold water in 2 bedrooms; electric light, power and gas; built-in wardrobes in one bedroom; inside and outside lavatory; good garden front and rear; garage to hold 2 cars. The house is in excellent condition, with modern grates and costly mantelpieces, and is well worth inspection.
Seen by appointment with the Auctioneers.
Held for a long term, subject to £12 10s. Od. per annum. P.L.V. £36.
FINTAN G. BURKE, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale,
32 Molesworth Street, Dublin.

FURNITURE AUCTION AND FARM IMPLEMENTS,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 27th INST., at 12 o'c.,
BATHAMPTON COTTAGE, BLESSINGTON RD.,
TALLAGHT. On View Tuesday Next, 10—5 p.m.

PROPERTY AUCTIONS,
ON DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER.
NOS. 1 & 2 UPPER FITZWILLIAM STREET.
DESMOND MORAN, Esq., Solicitor having Carriage of Sale,
34/35 Lower Ormond Quay, Dublin.
NOS. 9, 10 & 11 LOWER FITZWILLIAM STREET.
Messrs. MARGETSON & GREENE, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 18 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin.
N.B.—27 Farney Park will be open for inspection to-day from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

THOS. DOCKRELL, Sons & Co., Ltd.
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, M.I.A.A.,
38/39 SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.
TELEPHONE No. 71351. CONTROLS OUR TEN LINES (AND PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE).

EDWARD REID, Deceased.
RESIDENCE AND FURNITURE,
DUN LAOGHAIRE—"ARDAMINE," 34 YORK ROAD.

MESSRS. TALBOT COALL & SON have been instructed to SELL BY AUCTION, on the PREMISES, At One o'clock on TUESDAY, 2nd APRIL, the above Residence, which is held under lease for term of 99 years from 1st May, 1903, at yearly rent of £3 15s. Od. A well-built, non-basement, two-storey, red brick fronted Residence, which contains 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, tiled kitchen, bathroom and w.c., pantries.
VACANT POSSESSION WILL BE GIVEN.
ALSO ON SAME DATE,
THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
of which particulars will be advertised.
Messrs. POTTERTON & CAREY, Solicitors, 20 Wicklow street, Dublin.

TALBOT COALL & SON, M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers, DUN LAOGHAIRE.

COUNTY OF LIMERICK.
BRUREE HOUSE, BRUREE (Limerick, 17 Miles).
PARTICULARLY ATTRACTIVE AND HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION OF MAGNIFICENT AND PICTURESQUE TWO-STOREY DETACHED
GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE,
STANDING ON 406 ACRES 1 ROOD AND 5 PERCHES STATUTE MEASURE.
TO BE HELD AT THE SALEROOMS, 64 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK, ON
SATURDAY, 6th APRIL, at 12 o'clock
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF), IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.
BY INSTRUCTIONS OF F. W. BROWNING, Esq.
Held for ever, free of all rent. P.L.V.: Buildings £101 15s. Od.; Lands £391.
Brochure, which shows map of the holding, on application to Auctioneers. Arrangements to view may be made with Auctioneer only.
Title and Conditions of Sale from A. BLOOD-SMYTH, Esq., Solicitor, O'Connell street, Limerick.

ALFRED J. SEXTON M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEER AND VALUER,
Tel. 529. 64 O'CONNELL STREET, LIMERICK.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
SALE OF FURNITURE, CATTLE AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS
AT
BEADSTOWN, SUMMERHILL,
For Mrs. Trotter (who is leaving),
ON MONDAY, 8th APRIL, 1940,
AT 12 O'CLOCK (New Time).
Comprising: 6 Hepplewhite Chairs and 1 Carving Chair in Tapestry; Contents of Diningroom, Drawingroom, Hall, 4 Bedrooms, Kitchen, etc.; and 3 Cows, Heifers, Calves, Implements, etc.
View Day, Saturday, 6th April, from 12 to 3 o'c.
Admission 1/-, refunded to purchasers.
PATRICK SMITH & SON,
M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, Valuers and Livestock Salesmen,
NAVAN.

COUNTY OF MEATH.
IMPORTANT SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY AT
BECTIVE,
For Mrs. B. H. Scott (who is going abroad),
ON TUESDAY, 23rd APRIL, 1940,
At 12 o'clock,
On the Premises,
Comprising two-storeyed slated Residence, containing 3 reception rooms, 6 bedrooms, bathroom (h. and c.), hall, kitchen, etc.; stabling, cottage and 13 acres Prime Land, well stocked garden, etc.; situate 3 miles from Navan and 4 miles from Trim, held free of rent. P.L.V., £51 10s. Od.
Immediately afterwards will be Sold a choice collection of Antique and Modern Furniture, Old Silver, Bloodstock, Horse Trailer, 2 Caravans, Saddlery, etc.
All particulars from
Messrs. E. NOONAN & SON, Solicitors, Navan; or from
PATRICK SMITH & SON,
M.I.A.A.,
Auctioneers, Valuers and Livestock Salesmen,
NAVAN.

MONTEAGLE ARMS HOTEL,
FOYNES.
FULLY LICENSED WITH DWELLINGHOUSE AND OUT-OFFICES ATTACHED,
WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION on Tuesday, 9th APRIL, at One o'clock, on the Premises.
Incoming Rents from Dwellinghouse, etc., £250 per annum.
Full particulars from A. BLOOD-SMYTH, Esq., Solicitor, Limerick; or from
J. O'SHAUGHNESSY,
AUCTIONEER, BALLYHAHILL.

FOR SEND